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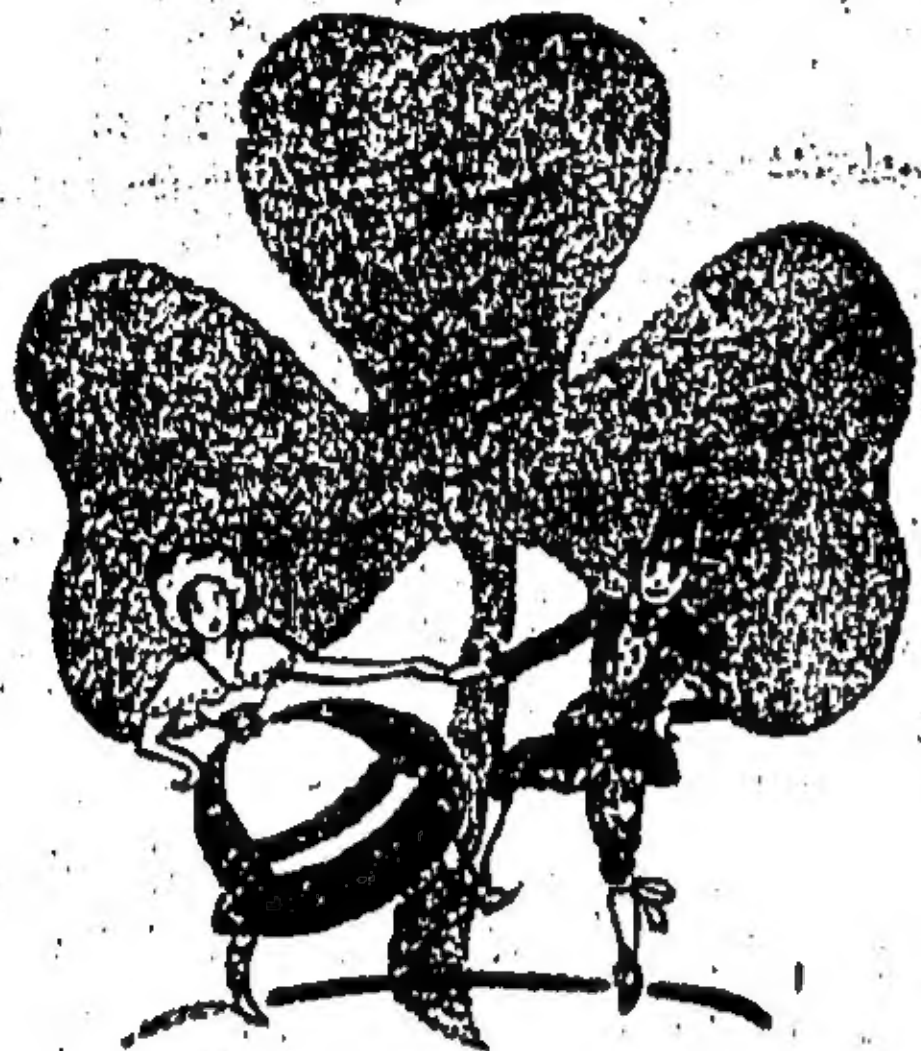
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS.

TO-DAY

(September 22).

21st day of Jemadi-al-awal.
Hong Kong Area Aquatic Sports, V.R.C., 2 p.m.
Tennis Exhibitions on H.K.C.C. Ground by E. D. Andrews, 3.30 p.m.
Parade of H.K. Police Force at Central Police Station, 5 p.m.
Rugby: Kowloon Rugby Club v. Argyle & Sutherland Highlanders, 5.15 p.m.
Theosophical Soc. Meet, 6 p.m.
Badminton Club Meet, Sailors' & Soldiers' Home.
Whist drive: Police R.C., Happy Valley, 8.30 p.m.
Lantern Lecture on "Palestine" by Denn Swann at St. Andrew's Hall, 9 p.m.

Theatres.

King's: "The Strange Case of Clara Deane."
Queen's: "Tarzan the Ape Man."
Star: "Skin Deep."
Oriental: "Yesterday at Peking."
Central: "The Power of Love."
Garden: "Dracula."
Taiping: "East Lynne."

Ten dance at King's Restaurant; Dinner dances at Hong Kong and Peninsula Hotels and King's Restaurant.
Tides—High at 09.25 and 14.15; Low at 03.50 and 19.30.
Sunrise: 6.11 a.m.; Sunset: 6.20 p.m.

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Outward:—Japan, U.S.A., and Europe via Vancouver and Europe via Siberia; Empress of Canada, 5 p.m.

FRIDAY

(September 23).

22nd day of Jemadi-al-awal.
Lammert's Auctions, 11 a.m. and 2.30 p.m.
H.K. Ladies' Hockey Club Meeting, Lane Crawford's, 5.15 p.m.
Hockey: Y.M.C.A. (2nd) v. Club "A" at King's Park, 6.15 p.m.
Whist drive: H.M.S. Tamar, 8.45 p.m.

Theatres

Queen's: "Tarzan the Ape Man."
Oriental: "Yesterday at Peking."
King's: "The Strange Case of Clara Deane."
Central: "The Power of Love."
Star: "W. Plan."
Taiping: "East Lynne."
Garden: "Dracula."

Tides—High: 01.00; Low: 11.22.
Moon: Last quarter, 8.47 p.m.
Sunrise: 6.12 a.m.; Sunset: 6.10 p.m.

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Inward:—U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai by President Cleveland.
Outward:—Australia and New Zealand: Atsuta Maru, Reg. 5 p.m.; Letters 8.30 a.m. on 24th inst.

SATURDAY

(September 24).

23rd day of Jemadi-al-awal.
Closing date for Motor Cycle Reliability Trial.
H.K. Police and Prison, Aquatic Sports (V.R.C.).
Tenth Extra Race Meeting at Happy Valley.
Opening of Kowloon C.C. Pavilion, 4.30 p.m.
Hockey: Y.M.C.A. v. R.A.M.

Theatres.

Central: "Fast Companions."
King's: "The Strange Case of Clara Deane."
Queen's: "Tarzan the Ape Man."
Star: "W. Plan."
Oriental: "Yesterday at Peking."

Ten dance at King's Restaurant; Dinner dances at Peninsula Hotel and King's Restaurant.
Tides—High at 01.50; Low at 11.22.

Principal Malls.

Inward:—Australia—by Kamomaru.
Outward:—Europe via Marseilles, Ranchi, 8.45 a.m. Australia and New Zealand: Atsuta Maru, 8.20 a.m.

SCOTS LETTER.

PRINCIPAL RAIT'S APPOINTMENT.

BLACK WATCH SERVICE.

(By Andra.)

Glasgow, August 18.
It is announced that the King has been pleased, on the recommendation of the Secretary of State for Scotland, to approve the appointment of Mr. Robert Sangster Rait, C.B.E., D.L., M.A., LL.D., Principal of the University of Glasgow, to be chairman of the board of trustees of the National Library of Scotland in the room of the Right Hon. Sir Herbert Eustace Maxwell, Bt., F.R.S., D.C.L., LL.D. resigned.

Glasgow University will share in the distinction of Principal Rait's new office. His experience in library affairs no less than his learning, has made his appointment a happy choice, particularly as successor to such a ripe scholar as Sir Herbert Maxwell who has guided the National Library so wisely during the past seven years. Principal Rait was president of the Library Association in 1924, and he has been a trustee of the National Library since 1925, so that his appointment finds him fully equipped in every respect for the distinguished office he will fill.

Warship Work.

The distribution of the Admiralty's building programme is being anticipated with more than usual eagerness this year. The Clyde, the Tyne, and the Mersey all hope to obtain a substantial share of the work. We understand that a flotilla leader and some destroyers, together with the propelling machinery for several vessels to be constructed at the Royal Dockyards, and almost certain to be placed with Clyde firms. The cruiser contract will probably go to the Clyde or the Tyne, while the Mersey is the most likely destination of the submarine orders. About two dozen vessels in all are included in the 1931 programme which will be put in hand soon. Contracts for the 1932 programme will probably follow in the spring of next year.

Holytown Rent Case.

Sheriff M'Donald in Hamilton Sheriff Court disposed of a case in which William Ferguson, 220 Main Street, Holytown, sought repayment of a sum of £15 4s 4d which he averred had been illegally and improperly exacted as rent and taxes by his former proprietrix, Mrs. Jeanie J. Thomson, widow and house proprietor, Main Street, Holytown. The defence was that pursuer's wife had offered to pay 30s monthly for the house as rent and taxes.

Evidence was given by Mr. Forbes Morrison, solicitor, one of the assistants in the valuation department of Lanark County Council. He produced documentary evidence to show that for the past three years defender had returned a valuation form showing that the rent she received for Ferguson's house was 28 10s. annually, with rates in addition. Similar evidence was given by Mr. John Gold, who is in charge of the rating department of Lanark County Council. Both witnesses agreed that if defender exacted £15 4s. annually from the pursuer in respect of rent and rates then she was overcharging. Defender in the witness-box maintained that if anything was due to the rating authorities she would endeavour to refund it to the best of her ability. She denied that she had overcharged the pursuer in the slightest degree. She had adhered to the bargain made, and was not due a copper to the pursuer.

Pursuer's wife explained that the house was let to her at £8 10s per annum by way of rent, plus rates. She was led to understand from defender that the rates in Lanarkshire were pound for pound with the rent.

Sheriff M'Donald, in giving decree for £15 and expenses, said he thought the pursuer had made out his case. The evidence clearly showed a fixed rent of £8 10s, plus rates, and it was significant that that was the figure which defender entered in her valuation return for three or four years.

The Third Stroke.

From a story about the Highlands in an English contemporary:—

"Jessie pulled two hard strokes. Oh, but Iain had been drunk, drunk the morn."
Perhaps it was the second sight that enabled Jessie to see tomorrow's events with such pluperfect accuracy: or it may have been that intelligent anticipation which springs from long experience.

Hamilton Miners and Outdoor Relief.

The Public Assistance Department in Hamilton, representing both the burgh and landward areas, found themselves again on Saturday under the necessity of furnishing outdoor relief to able-bodied miners who applied for assistance on the ground of destitution. There were 90 applicants in the burgh area, and these for the most part were miners employed at Cadzow and Earnock collieries. Work at these pits was irregular prior to Glasgow Fair, and when the holidays came along the men at both collieries applied for the "dole." The officials at the Employment Exchange in Hamilton decided to refer the claims to referees, and for the present declined to make payment.

In view of that attitude the idle miners—or at all events a fair proportion of them—decided to lodge claims for outdoor relief with the Public Assistance Committee on the plea of destitution. Although doubtful of the legality of the claims, and still more uncertain regarding the prospect of refundment, the Public Assistance Committee agreed to grant relief in particular cases.
It is understood that in Hamilton burgh many claims were rejected, but more than two-thirds of those applying obtained relief.

Black Watch Service at Aberfeldy.

There was an interesting gathering at the Black Watch Monument, Aberfeldy, when a drumhead service was held in connection with the recently amalgamated 8/7th Battalion of the Black Watch.

The proceedings were witnessed by a crowd numbering several hundreds. The soldiers with their officers travelled from Perth by charabanc, and marched from the outskirts of Aberfeldy, headed by the regimental pipe band, to the Town House, where they were dismissed. The officers of the battalion and the members of the Town Council and burgh officials were then entertained to luncheon by Provost Haggart, Aberfeldy, in the Breadalbane Arms Hotel. At the drumhead service Major Fowler addressed the men on the formation in 1789 of the Independent Companies of the Black Watch on the same ground. The soldiers returned to Perth by way of Dunkeld.

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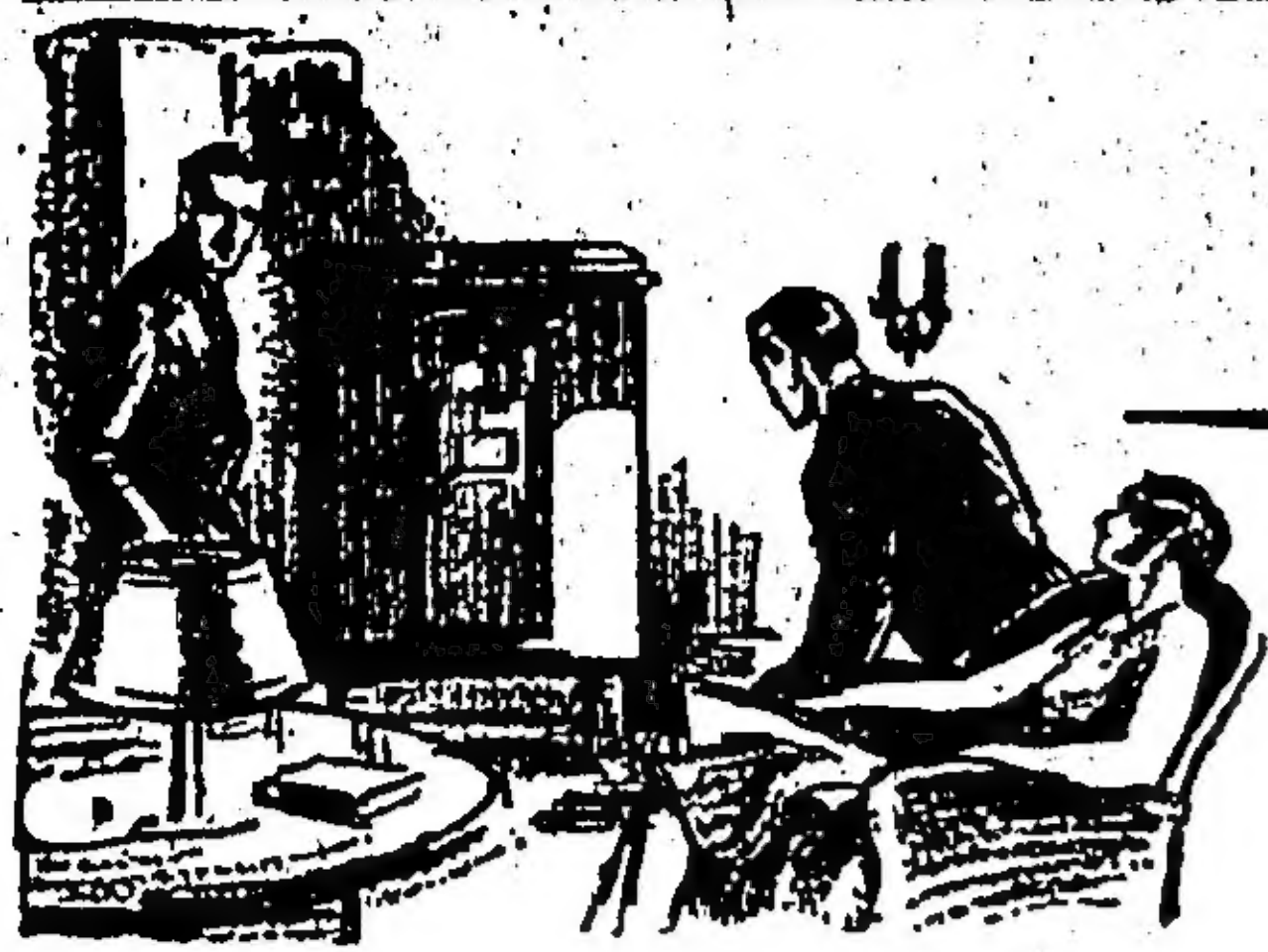
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RADIO FEATURES



FEATURES OF THE RADIO SHOW.

"BIGGER AND BETTER."

London, Aug. 19.—"Bigger and better" have been the adjectives used to describe the Radio Exhibition at Olympia each succeeding year. The same description may be applied with more force than ever to the exhibition which opens to-day, for compared with twelve months ago it has doubled in size, and is more varied and more representative of the radio industry. Wandering round the 300 stands one notices many names of firms which have not exhibited before.

The feature of the exhibition is quality rather than novelty. Among the exhibits sufficiently novel to deserve notice are the Zetavox sets, which have a remarkable system of automatic tuning. There are nine keys by means of which nine stations may be tuned in—by the head of the household, say, before he leaves for business in a morning. His wife or even a child may then put any of the stations on the loud-speaker at any moment merely by pressing a lever. These sets have automatic volume control and are all-electric.

Another firm (Ferranti) has a set incorporating an electric clock which works independently of the radio apparatus. There is a portable, which weighs one pound and can be carried about in the pocket, and a set with only one knob to control volume, wave-length, and on-off switch.

Apart from these features, radio enthusiasts will be chiefly interested in the progress made in securing quality, selectivity, and simplicity. It is these respects there have been great advances. Most of the radio firms now make sure of correct matching of speaker and set by housing both in the same cabinet, instead of leaving the public to exercise their own discretion (often badly) in choosing a speaker.

All Electric Sets.

All-electric sets are exhibited in much larger numbers than formerly, and tone control devices are more common. Considerable attention has been paid to selectivity and tuning is in most cases extremely simple. It would seem, indeed, that the system of finding stations by numbers on a dial will gradually disappear.

The number of radiograms on view is an indication of how popular they have become. It is estimated that whereas last year there were only 50 radiograms, this year there are a thousand. They are cheaper, too, ranging from as low as 10 guineas, though it is possible to pay 100 guineas for luxury models.

There will no doubt be a good deal of interest in the new twin loud-speakers, by means of which it is claimed that a much wider range of audio-frequencies can be handled, giving more faithful reproduction. Moving-coil speakers are more numerous, and as prices are lowered it is anticipated that they will become much more popular than in the past.

There has been a large increase in the number of demonstration-rooms. Their numbers run into scores. In these rooms the public may hear sets at work, and in one case one firm will also show a film demonstrating how its products are made.

£30,000,000 RADIO SALES PUSH.

MANUFACTURERS PLAN TO SELL 1,800,000 SETS.

OLYMPIA SHOW FEATURES.

The radio show at Olympia, London, opening on Aug. 19, for nine days.

The cost of the exhibition is to be £30,000, and the manufacturers are estimating for a sale of 1,800,000 sets and a trade turnover of about £30,000,000. As the turnover last year was £23,750,000 on 1,250,000 sets, the public are to be given greater value for their money this year.

If these figures are reached it will bring the licensed holders of sets to over 6,500,000, or one set to every two homes in the country.

Free Dancing.

In the Grand Hall 300 sets were shown. Additional floor space was made by a temporary floor, for which 70 tons of girders were used. The National Hall provided the biggest dance floor in London—and dancing was free all day. The whole exhibition was flood-lighted in crimson and gold if the weather was cool and in blue and silver if it was hot.

It would appear from the number shown that this is a radio-gram year. A development of the idea is to incorporate a third entertainment—television.

The chief development of radio during the year has been in loud speaker reproduction. The old compromise between high and low note output has given place to a twin loud speaker.

"Press-the Button" Set.

A variant on this is a tone-selector, which will enable the loud speaker to be set to register high or low notes in particular according to the type of programme being broadcast. These two inventions ought to improve quality and make listening more pleasurable and critical.

Those who like mechanical devices will be catered for in a "press-the-button" set. This will not mean a sacrifice of flexibility. Tuning will be possible in the ordinary way, but an owner may pre-set the dial in such a way that members of the family will have the choice of nine stations by the mere pressing of the appropriate button.

There is also a device which gives what might be termed visual tuning. The operator can adjust the device so that the tuning of stations can be seen at once and expert twiddling of the dial becomes unnecessary.

A feature that will attract attention is an electric robot which can stand, sit, move its arms, and in a loud voice extol the virtues of the Mullard valve.

The lighting effects are, as usual, striking. In the centre of the large hall a tall pylon reflects every colour of the rainbow with the aid of forty 1,000-watt lamps, and there is a system by which the general colour scheme of the stands can be changed at will from silver and blue (when the weather is hot) to a warm crimson and gold (when the temperature falls). For those who seek a respite from the round of the stands the largest dance floor in London is available.

TEN YEARS OF BROADCASTING.

BIRTHDAY RADIO EXHIBITION.

OPENING OLYMPIA FROM OTTAWA.

London, Aug. 18.—From Parliament Buildings, Ottawa, Mr. J. H. Thomas will officially open the Radio Exhibition at Olympia to-day. His voice will come by wireless telephony to the thousands present to wish good fortune and success to the Exhibition and "many happy returns of the day" to the B.B.C., whose tenth birthday it celebrates.

Ten years ago there was practically no radio industry. Ten years ago there was no B.B.C. Yet, between 1922 and 1932 the first tiny studio at the top of Marconi House has grown into the giant edifice which stands in Langham-place, and the world efforts of the first manufacturers have produced the great association which represents nearly £30,000,000 of British capital.

There is a closer link than many people realise between the manufacturers of radio instruments and the birth of British broadcasting. It was the manufacturers who gave broadcasting to the nation. It was six of the first manufacturers—of whom the Radio Manufacturers' Association is the direct corporate successor—who risked £10,000 each, and formed the first British Broadcasting Company. It was they who pioneered it through those turbulent years, combating scepticism, facing criticism and pessimism to hand it over to the Government only four years later as one of the greatest forces in domestic and civil life.

Enormous Growth.

This is the anniversary which the radio manufacturers are commemorating this year by the greatest radio exhibition the world has ever seen. This industry, in its infancy ten years ago, has now grown to such enormous dimensions that the manufacturers can afford to spend on an eight-day exhibition as much as they contributed to the formation of the first B.B.C.

Some idea of the enormous strides made in domestic broadcasting may be gained from the fact that the first programmes were listened to by only about 20,000 people, while during the present exhibition it is expected that the 5,000,000th listener will receive his licence.

The great halls that are Olympia will be Olympia no more. For eight days Radiolympia will transform them into an absolute fairyland of light and colour that will house all that is latest and best in British radio.

In the centre of the Grand Hall, acting as the base to the wonderful fountain which is one of the exhibition's special features is a large trap-door. This opening was made by Mr. C. B. Cochran's instructions in 1911, and with powerful bellows blowing imitation flames was "Hall" in "The Miracle" when it was produced there.

Aiming at Perfection.

Olympia has behind it the historic traditions of half a century of exhibitions, but it was never imagined during the first forty years of its existence that it would ever house a great national exhibition of radio products such as Radiolympia.

All the vast resources of research laboratories, and the finest scientific brains in the country, have combined with the perfect workmanship and technical knowledge of the engineers and manufacturers to bring wireless receiving sets and components up to the highest possible pitch of excellence.

There will be no startling innovations in set-construction this year. The manufacturers have concentrated mainly on perfecting the existing models and improving reception, so that whereas last year a set claimed to receive twenty or thirty stations, this year it will do the same, but with more fidelity of tone and natural quality.

The great feature of the exhibition will be the comparative cheapness of the models. Last year a radio-gramophone could not be bought under £35, this year the same of model will cost only £25.

Post Office's Part.

The manufacturers will not be, by any means, the only exhibitors. Both the Post Office and the B.B.C.

will be represented as two of the bodies which play an important part in the development of radio.

The manufacturers may supply you with a set, but cannot, of course, control disturbances which detract from the enjoyment of listening-in. These are the outside interferences, such as electric signs, tramways, electric lifts, and other distractions. At the exhibition the Post Office authorities will demonstrate how these electrical disturbances can be, if not eliminated entirely, at least minimised.

The B.B.C. will continue, at Radiolympia, to carry on their main function—the broadcasting of radio entertainments. They will have their studio in the exhibition, from which they will broadcast to the loud speakers all over Olympia programmes of entertainment for visitors. In addition, there will be a huge model of the new Broadcasting House, which will open like a book, and permit you to see all the studios from which the programmes are broadcast, together with the control rooms, library, and offices that comprise the building.

For a ten-year-old industry the position radio has reached among the other industries of the country approaches the miraculous, and from to-day until the 27th of this month Radiolympia will house all that is finest and most attractive among its manufactures.

HAVE YOU HEARD THESE?

Here are lists of long-wave and short-wave stations which should be picked up by anyone in Hong Kong who has a moderately good set suitable for receiving such signals. Success in picking up these stations also depends very largely upon favourable atmospheric conditions. Readers are invited to add to this list should they succeed in picking up any station not included in either of these lists.

LONG-WAVE STATIONS.

Wave length (metres)	Station	Call Sign	Kilo-cycle
260	Manila	K.Z.I.B.	1,153
277	Shanghai	K.S.M.S.	1,083
345	Tokyo	J.O.A.K.	870
383	Hiroshima	J.O.F.K.	860
355	Hong Kong	Z.B.W.	846
357.1	Bombay	V.U.B.	840
361	Sapporo	J.O.I.K.	830
366	Keijo	J.O.D.K.	820
370	Nagoya	J.O.C.K.	810
370.4	Calcutta	V.U.C.	809.9
380	Kumamoto	J.O.G.K.	790
390	Sendai	J.O.H.K.	770
395	Dairen	J.O.A.K.	760
400	Osaka	J.O.B.K.	750
410	Canton	C.M.B.	725
480	Manila	K.Z.I.M.	625

SHORT-WAVE STATIONS.

Wave length (metres)	Station	Call Sign	Time (Hong Kong) of Working
67.65	Dobitz (Germany)	A.F.K.	4.484 Mon., Wed. & Fri., 8 p.m. & 2 a.m.
69.12	Khabarovsk (Russia)	K.A.G.	4.990 6-10 p.m.
69.7	Nankow	A.G.J.	5.251 Not regular
69.8	Hankow	E.F.N.	6.000 Tue., Thurs., Sat., 8 p.m.
70.1	Hankow	I.M.A.	6.896 Sunday midnight
70.5	Perth	G.A.G.	7.143 Daily 8.30 p.m. & 11 p.m.
71.8	Singapore	V.S.I.A.B.	7.810 Not regular
73.8	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	7.790 Daily 11 p.m.
77.5	Bangkok (Siam)	H.S.A.F.J.	8.108 Tues. & Fri., 9 p.m.—1 a.m.
77.5	Sydney	S.B.L.	8.280 Not regular
81.65	Melbourne	W.X.X.A.F.	9.630 Daily 7 a.m.
81.65	Schenectady	E.C.J.	9.620 Fri. 3 a.m., Sat. 3 a.m. & 10 a.m.
81.20	Sydney	S.E.O.	9.690 Not regular
81.28	Malindi (Kenya)	T.L.O.	9.677 Midnight daily
81.5	Sydney	S.M.E.	10.053 Not regular
81.5	Bandong	P.L.B.	11.020 Midnight—3 a.m. daily
81.5	Ulm (Germany)	G.S.W.	11.751 7.30 p.m. & 8 a.m. daily, except Saturday and Sunday
24.5	Manila	K.I.X.B.	12.340 Nightly
24.5	Schenectady	W.X.X.O.	12.850 4 a.m. Wed., Fri., Sat.
24.5	Bandong	P.L.G.	13.102 Daily 6.30 p.m. to midnight
24.5	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	13.904 Daily 7 p.m. to midnight
24.5	Bandong	P.L.B.	14.280 Daily 5 p.m. to midnight
24.5	Kootwijk (Holland)	H.S.I.F.J.	17.751 Sundays 7 p.m. & midnight
24.5	Bandong	P.C.K.	18.404 Each afternoon
24.5	Bandong	P.L.B.	19.280 Daily 6.30—7 p.m.
24.5	Nancy (France)	P.L.B.	19.851 Daily 8 a.m.
24.5	Pittsburg	W.X.X.K.	21.640 Not regular

[Allowance must be made for "summer-time" in most European countries, which is one hour ahead of true time.]

TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

BROADCAST BY Z.B.W. ON 355 METRES.

11 to 11.30 a.m.—Stock quotations.
11.30 a.m.—Chinese programme.
12.30 p.m.—European programme of Columbia records.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, etc.
2 p.m.—Close down.
3 to 8 p.m.—European programme.
5 to 6 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra, conducted by Mr. J. Futera, by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)
6 to 7.15 p.m.—A programme of Columbia records.
6 to 6.38 p.m.—

Variety.

Song—"Love Everlasting."
Song—"I Want Your Heart."
Ina Souer (Soprano).—DB539.
Orchestral—"Bow Bells"—Selection.—Jack Payne and his B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.—DB735.
Vocal Duet—"Love, You Funny Thing."
Vocal Duet—"Strangers"—Layton and Johnstone.—DB847.
Guitar Solo—"Goodnight Vienna."—Len Fillis.—DB798.
Orchestral—"Long Ago."
Orchestral—"Kisses in the Dark."—Albert Sandler and his Orchestra.—DB701.
Vocal Chorus—"Little Annie Rooney."
Vocal Chorus—"Daddy Wouldn't Buy Me a Bow-Wow."—The Maestros.—DB491.
6.38 to 6.50 p.m.—

Octettes.

"Souvenir" (Drda, arr. Willoughby).
"Phantom Minuet" (Hope).—J. H. Squire Celeste Octette.—DB509.
"Echoes of the Ball" (Willoughby).
"Love's Dream After the Ball" (Czibulka, arr. Willoughby).—J. H. Squire Celeste Octette.—DB598.
7 p.m.—Stock quotations, etc.
6.50 to 7.15 p.m.—

Orchestral and Band Music.

"Parade of the Elephants" (Chenette).
"The Old Frog Pond" (Alford).—Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.—DB597.
"The Clock and the Dresden Figures" (Kettelbey).
"Wedgwood Blue" (Kettelbey).—Albert W. Kettelbey's Concert Orchestra.—DX27.

"Liebestraum" (Liszt, arr. Somers).
"Caprice Viennois" (Kreisler, arr. Tierch).—Delroy Somers Band.—DI660.
7.15 to 8 p.m.—

From the Studio.

A Recital by Madame Iwai (Pianist), Mr. Iwai (Violinist) and Master Iwai (Xylophonist)—13½ years old.

Programme.

1. March—Sambre et Meuse (Rauski).
2. Long, Long Ago (Variation) (Dittrich).
3. Zigeuner-Weisen (Gypsy Air) (Sarasate).
4. Souvenir de Spa (Geldard).
5. Concert (Allegro) (Mendelssohn).
6. Echigojishi (Japanese Music) (arr. Kitamura).
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FRUIT DRINKS—AND SOME OTHER HINTS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.



Various people have asked about fruit drinks, a few of the best and most generally useful are:

Summer Punch.

You can make an excellent fruit punch with any fruit that is in season and without wine like this:

Choose ripe peaches or apricots, oranges, apples, bananas, pineapples or grapes, prepare them according to their nature, and place them at the bottom of a large jug. Pour over them a teaspoonful of lemon juice, the rind of a lemon cut very finely, and some ground ginger. Let this stand in a cool place for an hour and add ginger ale, and, if possible, a lump of ice just before serving.

Lemon and Cucumber.

The nicest lemonade is made with the juice and very finely cut yellow rind of the lemon, loaf sugar to taste, and boiling water: but this takes some time to cool.

If you are in a hurry you can make a refreshing lemon drink with two ounces citric acid and one pound of loaf sugar on which you have sprinkled half a teaspoonful of essence of lemon. Pound these well together, pour boiling water on to melt them and add about a gallon of cold water. A few slices of cucumber improve both the appearance and flavour of the drink.

Orange Crush.

For orange crush you cut the oranges in half and remove the cores with a sharp knife. They are then peeled very carefully so that no white skin remains on the fruit, and the orange pulp is placed in a basin. Sprinkle it with sugar, pour on boiling water in the proportions of two tablespoonfuls to each orange, and let it stand till next day.

Potato Pastry.

Making potato pastry seems to be a problem with which more than

one of my readers have been wrestling vainly. I think this is most probably due to the fact that the potatoes used were not sufficiently mealy. The waxy kind are quite impossible for this purpose.

Cook the potatoes, drain them very carefully, and rub them through a sieve.

Allow a quarter of a pound of flour and two or three ounces of butter or dripping to a quarter of a pound of potatoes. Sieve the flour into a basin and rub in the fat until there are no lumps left. Add the potatoes and a generous pinch of salt. Add just enough milk to bind it all together, or, if you prefer it, use the yolk of an egg mixed with some milk. It is most important not to make the pastry too moist.

Flour both the pastry board and the rolling-pin very thoroughly and roll out at once. This pastry will not keep at all, so it should be used on the same day that it is made.

Green Tomato Pickle.

Green tomatoes pickle well. For two quarts of these you will need one quart of vinegar, quarter of a pint of treacle, or syrup, two tablespoonfuls salt, three large onions, a dessertspoonful curry powder, a tablespoonful mustard, half a teaspoonful mixed spice, and half a teaspoonful cayenne pepper.

Wipe the tomatoes, stalk them and cut them into thin slices as possible. Sprinkle them with the salt and let them stand for twenty-four hours. Peel and slice the onions, also very thinly.

Put the vinegar, curry powder, mustard, and allspice into a saucepan, and heat till they nearly boil. Add the tomatoes, onions, and cayenne pepper, and cook for five minutes. Pour into bottles or jars and cover.

LEMON RICE.

Simmer for about 3 hour—until of a creamy consistency—2 tablespoonfuls of rice, a pint of milk, and 2 oz. of sugar. Add the yolk of an egg, the finely-grated rind of a lemon, and bake in the oven. Whip the egg-white with a little sugar and add the juice of half the lemon.

Pile this on top of the pudding and replace it in the oven until the meringue is pale brown and firm.

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BE ORIGINAL WITH YOUR SALADS.

There are endless possibilities for originality in concocting salads as soon as you have rid yourself of conventional ideas as to what a salad should be composed of.

You must possess the mind of an inventor to produce something really original, for an inventor never minds experimenting until he finds what he seeks. Have courage and you will find your salads will soon be looked upon as the surprise item in the menu.

PRUNE SALAD.

Cook four ounces of prunes till soft. Remove the stones and substitute blanched almonds in their places. Have one hard-boiled egg sieved. One tomato and a few sprigs of either watercress or mustard and cress.

Arrange the salad in the bowl according to taste. Use either a French dressing or mayonnaise as preferred.

SALADE BEAUCAIRE.

One pound of good sized Jonathan apples. Two tablespoonfuls finely shredded lettuce. One stable spoon of cream and three button mushrooms. Whipped savoury cream for garnishing. Some watercress and seasonings.

See the apples are rosy ones and well polished. Cut a round in the top of each apple and carefully remove all the pulp. Chop the inside of the apple up together with

the mushrooms, and mix well with whatever dressing you prefer. Season well and add a little sugar if you like.

Fill up the apple cases with the salad. Shred the rest of the lettuce and place in a basin, then pour over a little more dressing.

Place a little of this mixed salad on each individual plate, then place the filled apple on it. Arrange a few sprigs of freshly drained watercress around each apple, then pipe a little savoury cream on top of each.

CHEESE AND ORANGE SALAD.

Have you ever tried cream cheese with orange slices mixed with shredded lettuce and mustard and cress served with mayonnaise or French dressing?

This salad looks delightful if served in the halved orange skins on beds of shredded lettuce.

SALAD OF SUMMER FRUITS.

Take three or four kinds of summer fruits. Place a layer of each fruit separately in the bowl then cover with mayonnaise dressing, repeat for each layer of fruit, keeping back a few of each kind to decorate the top with.

The various fruits obtainable both of the tinned and fresh varieties provide plenty of scope for original blending.

VARIOUS WAYS WITH EGGS.

TEMPTING THE BREAKFAST APPETITE.

There are many unusual ways of cooking the breakfast egg, which looks at us so forbiddingly when fried and so dully when boiled.

Try scrambled eggs varied either by adding chopped ham or tongue or flaked cold fish, such as smoked haddock or kipper, before cooking.

Or scramble eggs plainly, and then put on to little pieces of buttered toast spread with blonier, kipper, or anchovy paste, with any chopped cold meat or peas left over from the night before, first tossed in a little butter to warm them.

Cold eggs, hard-boiled, can be filled with all sorts of pleasant stuffings, for instance any of the additions described above, which are pounded up with the yolk, moistened if necessary with a little milk or cream, and filled into the halves of the white, usually cut lengthwise.

A very simple and original omelette dish is one called Eggs Washington. For this you want a large, not too ripe tomato for each person. Cut off about a quarter

from the top (where the stem is), scoop out the inside and sprinkle the case with salt and pepper.

Now break an egg into each tomato, add a little more seasoning, some chopped parsley and if you can, some mushrooms finely chopped. Put a dab of butter on top of each, and bake in a slow oven for about twenty minutes, so that the yolks of the eggs are still soft when the dish is served.

Popular With Children.

One last suggestion is Bird's Nests, which should be popular like the children. From some slices of bread about an inch thick cut out rounds three inches or so across. Make these into rings by cutting out their centres with a smaller cutter, and fry them a golden brown in butter.

Place them in a flat dish, break an egg into each, pour over a little milk, sprinkle lightly with chopped parsley and, if you like it so early in the morning, a little chopped onion, and bake in the oven till the eggs are set.



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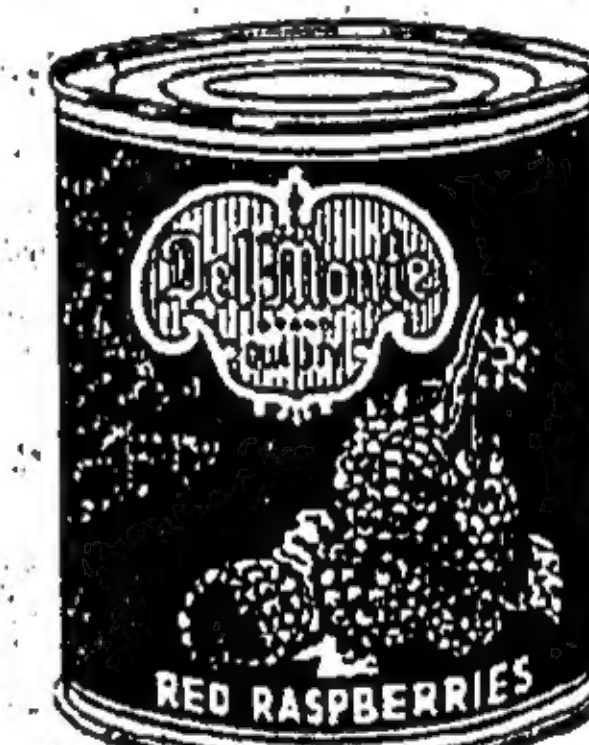
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SINGING SAND.

DO YOU KNOW

THAT

Charles H. Ingersoll, the well-known watch manufacturer, still carries the first watch he made 40 years ago? Peter Essinger of Chicago recently got a state license for his 1905 automobile? Allen airmen flying over German territory without permission are warned to turn back by means of a smoke bomb? One Million dollars a year is spent in Hollywood to give newcomers screen tests—each test averaging about \$300? Canada has more railroad mileage than any other country in proportion to population—one mile of track for every 23 people? Approximately 15,000,000 gallons of gasoline was used by American motorists during 1931? The rates for radio programmes 6 p.m. are twice as high as those during the day? Argentina has a decree which forbids women working between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m.?

The Chinese is equal to about a third of a mile!

Artificial blouses can be placed on apples and peaches by means of a short-wave ultra-violet light.

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Josephine a un amoureux. Il n'est pas de tout sauvage. Il aime bien manger des noix.

(Translation to-morrow.)

out of their eyes. The Japanese care little for pearls, or other jewels, but they find a ready market for them abroad where pearls are considered one of the most beautiful jewels. And who remembers the oyster, that plump and lowliest of creatures, when gazing at the pearl glowing with living beauty?

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NAVAL BATTLE IN STREET.

RUSSIANS FIGHT BANDITS
IN HARBIN.

BOARDING TACTICS THWARTED.

Harbin, Sept. 5.—Chinese bandits have been taking advantage of flood conditions in Harbin to create a reign of terror in this city and the authorities, in some districts, have had to take such special precautions as erecting barbed-wire barricades and charging them with electricity. The is done to curb the activities of kidnappers.

These wire fences and control gates almost completely enclose large areas of Harbin. A typical example of what is going on here occurred recently. Two Russians, members of the volunteer defence force of Chongchou, were suddenly attacked by 14 Chinese bandits and during the fighting one Russian and three Chinese met their deaths.

The Russians were patrolling the streets in a rowing boat, when three boats manned by the Chinese bandits attacked them. A miniature naval battle followed. Heavy fire was exchanged and during a lull, one of the Chinese boats got alongside the Russian boat and the bandits attempted to board it. Fierce hand to hand fighting ensued during which one Russian and two Chinese fell overboard. All three were drowned.

The other Russian, badly wounded, hit the remaining Chinese bandit over the head with an oar and the man fell out of the boat and also was drowned.

Police Shot At.—Police in the streets frequently are shot at and attempts at kidnapping continue.

One incident is reported in which 16 bandits attacked a house in which are living a number of Chinese merchants who are refugees from the Fuchien rebellion of Harbin. Two merchants escaped by the windows and when the police came up a regular battle followed lasting 30 minutes. The bandits were so strong that they forced a way through the police cordon, seriously wounding one policeman.

QUAKE SHAKES TSINGNING

MANY HOUSES COLLAPSE

Peiping, Sept. 11.—A severe earthquake rocked the city of Tsingning, about 170 miles east of Lanchow, provincial capital of Kansu, on the evening of August 27, according to a delayed report from Lanchow. The tremor lasted three minutes during which many houses collapsed.—Kuo Min.

HEAVY RAINS SWEEP LOYANG

Loyang, Sept. 12.—A heavy wind and rain storm blew over Loyang, the provisional national capital, early yesterday morning. Streets became flooded, houses collapsed, and trees were uprooted. Many people, mostly of the poorer classes who lived in mud huts in the northern suburbs, lost their lives when their flimsy abodes were torn down by the force of the gale.—Kuo Min.

RADIO TELEPHONE SERVICE

BETWEEN NANKING
AND SHANGHAI

Nanking, Sept. 12.—Nanking and Shanghai are to be linked by wireless telephony according to plans of the Ministry of Communications, announced to-day.

In order to handle the increasing traffic on the Nanking-Shanghai long-distance telephone line, the Ministry has decided to install radio telephone facilities to augment the present service.—Kuo Min.

EFFORT TO IMPROVE TEA INDUSTRY

Changsha, Sept. 12.—Tea destined for export from Hunan province is to be exempt from the production and consumption tax, according to an order of the Hunan Provincial Government to the Provincial Department of Finance. The decision was made in response to a petition of the Tea Exporters' Guild of Hankow for measures to improve the tea industry and relieve the present depressed conditions.

The Provincial Authorities have also instructed all the Tea Exporters' Guilds as well as the Tea Exporters' Station at Changsha to assist the tea producers and merchants in the introduction of scientific methods of cultivation and other improvements so that the Chinese producer may compete favourably with that of foreign countries.—Kuo Min.

CLAIMS AGAINST FRENCH STEAMER.

CAPTAIN'S AND OFFICERS'
WAGES.

NO COAL ON BOARD.

Sir Joseph Kemp, the Chief Justice, sitting in Admiralty Jurisdiction at the Supreme Court yesterday, heard a case in which claims for \$1,884.74 for necessities supplied by the A. Yuen and Chee Cheong Co., of 74 and 75, Connaught Road Central, were made against the Gr. Gal. Maurice Long II, a French vessel at present in the custody of the Court; and claims for wages amounting to approximately \$6,000 by Paul Luigi, Adrien Poret and Jean Le Guyot, officers on the vessel.

Mr. H. C. Macnamara appeared for the plaintiffs in both cases.

The details of the claims by the officers were as follows:—

Paul Luigi, captain, \$3,603.02, which included wages for June, July and August, at the rate of \$500 a month; wages to fall due under contract of service to October 17, 1932 at the rate of \$500 a month; commission on cargo and passengers due under contract of service; expenses paid by the captain from June to September, the balance of the amount advanced by the captain, namely, 1,000 piastres, or \$1,760 less \$1,100 paid on account.

Expenses of return to Haiphong and subsistence and maintenance until arrival at Haiphong.

Jean Le Guyot, first officer, \$1,344.10.

Adrien Poret, chief officer, \$1,000.

Opening the case for the plaintiffs, Mr. Macnamara said his clients were a firm of ship chandlers and were claiming for necessities against the steamship Gov. Gen. Maurice Long II, a French vessel of about 11,000 tons. The owners resided at Haiphong. The ship was at present under the arrest of the Court as a number of writs had been issued against it. These were duly served and warrants had been executed.

Stores Supplied.—My clients' case is that in the months of February to April last a quantity of stores were supplied to the boat on the order of her captain, in some cases counter-signed by the second officer, sometimes by the engineer and sometimes by the first officer. The necessities supplied were, deck stores, engine room stores and steward room stores. All the articles which are supplied are necessities.

Young Shu Po, assistant manager of the plaintiff firm, said he received orders from the captain of the ship for goods to the value of \$1,002.23 (deck stores). The order came to him signed either by the captain or the chief engineer of the ship. The goods were delivered by steam launch. In a similar way engine room stores to the value of \$756.10, and steward room stores to the value of \$26.31 were supplied. The balance now owing was \$1,344.74. Application for payment had been made several times, but the money had not been paid.

Mr. Macnamara asked for an order for the sale of the vessel, stating that claims to a total of \$20,000 were made against the boat. He also stated that the bailiff had made application for twenty tons of coal to be supplied by the plaintiffs. The ship was, he understood, practically empty of coal and it was possible that a typhoon might come on at any time. Ships in the harbour had to raise steam when a typhoon came and under the circumstances it did not seem excessive to have two days' supply of coal on board. "If we supply the coal now," he added, "it is to preserve the ship for the benefit of all people who have claims against the boat, and your Lordship, if you think fit, can order that a particular person can supply the necessities of this kind in order to preserve the ship while in custody. What we ask is that you authorise the supply of twenty tons of coal and allow that to the bailiff's account, as part of his expenses."

Paul Luigi, captain of the vessel, stated that there was little, if any, coal on board and it would be better if twenty tons were shipped, together with some oil for the cylinders. His Lordship authorised the bailiff to supply from the plaintiffs twenty tons of coal to be paid for as part of the bailiff's expense.

Officers Stranded.—Answering his Lordship, Mr. Macnamara said notice was not served on the Consul-General for France. He said that in the second case, where the claim was for wages, the officers were stranded here and the ship to be condemned and sold.

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OLD RESIDENT PASSES.

DEATH OF MR. J. P.
CHRISTENSEN.

The death occurred at No 3 Kimberley Villas, yesterday, of Mr. J. P. Christensen.

A native of Denmark, Zetland, Denmark, where he was born in 1807, the late Mr. Christensen came out East in 1890, joining the Green Island Cement Company, Limited, and remaining in their service for a period of 33 years, being chief burner at the Hok On Works at the time of his demise.

He was due to go Home on retirement in November, but had been in ill health lately, and death occurred yesterday from heart failure, during a visit to his son.

An efficient worker, he was held in high regard by the Company, and the many friends he had made during his long sojourn in the Colony will mourn the loss occasioned by his death.

The deceased is survived by three sons and two daughters. One of the sons, Mr. E. Christensen, is in the Colony.

The funeral took place yesterday evening, there being a large attendance of friends, and a profusion of floral tributes.

first thing they did was to go to the French Consul.

Mr. Macnamara: The only thing which remains to be said in regard to the second case is that a writ was issued on September 1st and on the 19th of that month your Lordship gave leave to proceed *ex parte*. The only difference is a claim for wages. In the case of the captain there is a loan he made to the owners of the ship in order to pay the crew, and that, I submit, is a claim which can be maintained against the ship along with his wages.

Capt. Luigi stated that he was engaged on April 9, 1932. A letter was written giving the clauses of his contract together with the terms of the chief engineer and chief officer.

The contract stated that he should receive \$500 as salary, food included; five dollars for each voyage for extra expenses; ten cents for each deck passenger; twenty cents for each cabin passenger; ten cents for each ox or bullock carried; five cents for each head of pig or goat; and five cents for each basket of chicken. He claimed wages for June, July and August at \$500 a month, making a total of \$1,500, and wages under contract of service which would not expire until October 17 next. He had never received notice of termination of contract. He loaned the company \$1,760 and with that sum they paid the crew. The money was to be refunded to him as soon as the ship reached Hong Kong. Of that amount he had only received \$1,100 and that was given to him in three payments.

Officer's Evidence.—Jean Le Guyot, first officer, corroborated the terms of the contract, and stated that his wages under the contract were \$325 a month. He claimed the balance of wages for June, July and August amounting to \$775. He had applied to the agents for that amount, but had been unable to get payment. He further claimed for services which under the contract expired on October 17 next, and the cost of repatriation to Haiphong.

Adrien Poret, chief engineer, stated he had no written agreement with the company, but his pay during the time he served was \$500 a month. He had not been paid for July and August and his claim therefore was \$1,000.

His Lordship: You were more fortunate than the others. You were paid for June.

Mr. Macnamara: Perhaps he is remembered as a more important person.

Chief Justice Decision.

His Lordship, after hearing the evidence, gave judgment as follows: In the claim of the master, wages for June, July and August as well as wages up to October 17. Commission of \$306.10 allowed to master. Expenses paid by Captain from June to September, balance of account advanced by the Captain, the expenses for his return to Haiphong to be paid and subsistence to be referred to the Registrar from the period when the Captain had not been fed by the ship and a reasonable sum in respect of food and lodging from the date of judgment to October 17.

In respect of the mate's claim his pay for June, July and August up to October 17 was to be paid and he was allowed his expenses to Haiphong and subsistence as in the case of the master.

The Chief Engineer's wages for July and August were to be paid and subsistence at the rate of his wages from 1st September to present as per cost.

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PUBLIC MONEY VOTES.

FINANCE COMMITTEE
MEETING TODAY.

\$41,283 WANTED.

Votes totalling \$41,283 will come before the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council this afternoon. The figure includes the following items:—

Magistracy, Kowloon:—Personal Emoluments\$203.00
Provision made in Estimates \$837.

It has been found necessary to provide a female escort for women prisoners at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court. Salary at the rate of \$153 per annum. A vote for the amount required over the period 8th August to 31st December is requested.

Police Force: Telegrams.....\$500.00
Provision made in Estimates \$600.

Owing to the increased number of telegrams despatched, the vote of \$800 is exhausted. It is estimated that a further sum of \$500 will be required up to December, 1932. The above is to be met from savings under Expenses of Anti-Piracy Guards.

Education: Medical Expenses.....\$600
Provision made in Estimates \$2,500.

The provision for medical treatment is insufficient for the number of children needing it and a vote for the above sum is requested to cover the estimated expenditure up to the end of this year. The above is to be met from savings under Capital Grants.

Medical Department: Transport\$400.00
Provision made in Estimates \$600.

The provision of \$800 for this service will not suffice owing to exceptional circumstances. The closing of the Peak Hospital and the opening of the Kowloon Maternity Block entailed the transport of a considerable amount of furniture and stores by motor lorries. Transport to Kennedy Town Infectious Diseases Hospital during the epidemic this year was also greater than usual. It is anticipated that a further \$400 will be required and a vote for this amount is requested. The above is to be met from savings under Maintenance of Lunatics at Canton.

Supreme Court: Subsistence Allowance Appeal Judge.....\$148.00
Provision made in Estimates \$200.

Subsistence allowance for the appeal Judge is at the rate of \$12 per day. It has usually been estimated that the appeal Judge would need to be in Hong Kong drawing Subsistence Allowance about two weeks per annum. The appeals this year have necessitated the Judge being in Hong Kong for 20 days at \$12=\$240 or \$148 in excess of vote. The above is to be met from savings under Personal Emoluments.

Miscellaneous Services.....\$5,000.00
Provision made in Estimates \$10,000.

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Owing to the abnormal traffic in telegrams, the provision in the current year's estimates has proved insufficient, and a supplementary vote \$8,000 is requested.

Public Works Department: Electric Fans and Light.....\$4,000
Provision made in Estimates \$24,000.

The expenditure under this Vote for the first half of the year has been more than anticipated and the balance in hand is insufficient to meet the necessary charges until the end of the year. A Supplementary Vote for \$4,000 is therefore requested to meet anticipated expenditure to the end of the year.

Kowloon Water Works, Dis-tributing Mains.....\$4,000
Provision made in Estimates \$15,000.

The provision in the Estimates has proved insufficient to meet essential services, and a Supplementary Vote for \$4,000 is therefore requested. The above is to be met from savings under New Kowloon Distributing Water Mains 1932 Estimates.

Hong Kong Water Works, New Principal Mains in New City.....\$3,000
Provision made in Estimates \$18,000.

The provision in the Estimates has proved insufficient to meet essential services. A Supplementary Vote for \$3,000 is therefore requested. The above is to be met from savings under New 8 in, connecting main to Shaikwan 1932 Estimates.

Sanitary Department: Rent of Quarters for Inspector and Sanitary Offices\$208
Provision made in Estimates \$2,000.

In message No. 5 of 1931 the Finance Committee approved of the renting of the top floor of a house in Kowloon on a 5-year lease at a rental of \$20 per month. As the Estimates for 1932 were framed before this item was approved, the extra expenditure was not included and a vote for \$208 is requested to supplement the sub-head. The above is to be met from savings under Scavenging Villages 1932 Estimates.

Prison Department: Special Expenditure: Hydro Ex-tractor\$2,400
Provision made in the 1931 Estimates for the purchase of this machine, but no expenditure was incurred as it was not delivered until April, 1932. The total cost is \$2,463.58, a supplementary vote for the sum of \$63.58 is requested. The above is to be met from savings under Special Expenditure 1932 Estimates.

Public Works: Extraordinary: Hong Kong Water Works: Free connection in Rider Main Area.....\$20,000
In accordance with the resolution of Legislative Council of 18 August, 1932, all meters applied for within the Rider Main Area between 11th August, 1932, and 31st October, 1932, will be connected to applicants free of charge. A vote to cover the estimated expenditure on this service is therefore requested.

LOCAL SCOTS FOREGATHER.

CENTENARY OF SIR WALTER SCOTT CELEBRATED.

MR. W. KAY'S VIVID PICTURE OF THE MAN AND HIS WORK.

The scene of the annual Sir Walter Scott Centenary Dinner, under the auspices of the Hong Kong St. Andrew's Society, which was held at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant last night, presented a brilliant spectacle, when about one hundred Scots of Hong Kong and their guests assembled to pay honour to the memory of the illustrious Sir Walter Scott.

The decorations were carried out in the Scots thistle motif, and clustered on the walls, pillars and on the Chieftain's table were illuminated groups of Scotland's floral emblem. On the wall above the President's chair was a decorated framed painting of Sir Walter Scott, carried out by Mr. G. Duncan, O.B.E., of Hong Kong.

Appropriate music was rendered throughout the evening by pipers under the leadership of Pipe-Major W. C. K. Mackie.

Mr. A. Stevenson, Chieftain of the Hong Kong St. Andrew's Society, occupied the chair.

In proposing the immortal memory of Sir Walter Scott, Mr. William Kay drew a vivid and attractive picture both of the man and of his work. He described how Scott became a successful poet, the greatest novelist and in his own way the greatest figure in English literature of his time. Mr. Kay went on to outline the life of the Laird of Abbotsford, his lavish hospitality and his popularity among friends of all types and classes. Finally the story was told of the great novelist's last years, and of his mighty struggle against misfortune and ill-health.

STRUGGLE AGAINST MISFORTUNE AND ILL-HEALTH.

Before calling on Mr. Kay to deliver the address of the evening, the Chairman proposed the toast of "The King."

THE IMMORTAL MEMORY.

Proposing "The Immortal Memory of Sir Walter Scott, Mr. Wm. Kay said:—

Chieftain, Brithers Scots and Guests,—First of all let me thank the Hong Kong St. Andrew's Society for the great honour it has conferred upon me. I cannot imagine a greater compliment which the Society has in its power to pay than to invite one to propose this toast, and I admit unhesitatingly that when your energetic secretary, Mr. Bryden, approached me I cast aside any modesty I may possess and accepted with much hesitation.

To-night, gentlemen, we are assembled to honour the memory of a very great and noble character—one whose name comes down the years untarnished by infamy and unspotted by the breath of scandal—a Scot of whom every Scot, nay a Briton of whom every Briton has cause to be proud.

Scott's Life Story.

Most of you are familiar with Scott's life-story: how as an ailing child attacked by lameness he was sent to the farm of Sandyknowe where he developed a life-long passion for the Borderland and became saturated with the ballads and history of that romantic country. At the High School, Edinburgh, he was noted not as a scholar but as a story-teller and fighter—a lad with a marvellous memory who read all sorts of books except school text-books. On leaving school he studied law at the University and worked in his father's office, and, as a lawyer's apprentice, had sometimes to make journeys into the then almost unknown Highlands where his greatest joy was to take with some of Prince Charlie's veterans. In spite of his lameness he grew into a strong and active young man to whom a walk of thirty miles a day was nothing unusual. Whenever he could escape from the drudgery of law he was off to Liddesdale, Yarrow, or Ettrick collecting ballads which were in danger of extinction, gossiping with lairds, old wives, beggars and salmon-pouchers thereby gaining experience and local colour for much of his later work. These excursions did not please the staid old lawyer, his father, who would remark: "I greatly doubt, sir, you were born to be no better than a gangrel scrape-gut." (Allow me to inform my Sassenach friends that a gangrel—scrape-gut—is a strolling fiddler). Twice before he was thirty he published translations from the German. At that time he regarded writing as a more recreation, remarking that literature was a good staff but a bad crutch. But no man with such stories of romance and poetry in his head could long refrain from writing, and in 1802, in his thirty-second year, he produced "The Border Minstrelsy." This brought to Scott not only fame

but the acquaintance of many men of letters among whom were Wordsworth and Coleridge, and from then he became more anxious to shine as an author. In 1805 his first great original work, "The Lay of the Last Minstrel," appeared, and for the next twenty-seven years Scott was poet, essayist, reviewer, novelist and historian was the most conspicuous literary figure in Europe.

The Last of the Old Minstrels.

"The Lay of the Last Minstrel" was a happy title, for in many senses Scott was the last of the old minstrels. He came at the end of old world and fortunately had the genius to enshrine it immortal in his writings. "The Lay of the Last Minstrel," which, for a poem, had an unprecedented sale, was followed by "Marmion" and "The Lady of the Lake." Among many notable passages in "Marmion" we have the famous fifth canto, regarded by most critics as his greatest battle description in modern literature. "The Lady of the Lake" is the best advertisement the Highlands ever had and Scott is by far Scotland's greatest publicity agent. As someone shrewdly remarked: "Scott's most significant monument is not Kemp's masterpiece in Princes Street but the Trossachs Hotel." This may sound like exaggeration or even flattery but remember that in the year 1800 few Scotsmen, and fewer Englishmen, were aware of the beauty and charm of the Highlands. To most Britons the land beyond the Highland line was a waste peopled by kilted savages who, sixty years before, had given John Bull a nasty fright when they tried to place Prince Charlie's father on the throne. With a few strokes of the pen Scott destroyed for ever that misconception. His genius realized the grandeur of the Trossachs, the poetry and glamour of the Western Isles and the romantic loveliness of that Borderland whose greatest and most devoted son he is; and he showed that the Gael, living under the old clan system, far from being a barbarian had a culture and civility of his own.

He brought back the past, and with his wide and sympathetic knowledge of local legend and anecdote was able to people the hills and glens with life-like figures so that, to-day, a lover of Scott in meditative mood by Loch Katrine would scarcely be astonished were he to see Ellen Douglas in her skiff or Roderick Dhu with his targe and claymore.

Waverley.

"Marmion" was not so well received as the previous poems had been, and it was then that Scott, while looking in a drawer for some fishing tackle, came across the unfinished manuscript of "Waverley" begun ten years previously. He completed the manuscript, sent it to the publishers, and then went off on a trip round the Northern Lighthouses. When he returned he learned to his surprise that Waver-

ley, which had been published anonymously, had taken the world by storm. It is a landmark in literary history for not only had Scott with one masterstroke created the historical novel (it had been tried unsuccessfully by many before) but he had raised the novel, at that time the Cinderella of literary forms, to a new level enjoying for the first time an esteem equal to that of the drama. In rapid succession came "Guy Mannering," "The Antiquary," "The Black Dwarf," "Old Mortality," "Rob Roy," "The Bride of Lammermoor" and "The Heart of Midlothian." These made Scott a rich man, and although he had not acknowledged their authorship most knowing critics realised that only Scott could be their creator. He was lauded and feted everywhere, by the Prince of Wales, by foreign ambassadors, by statesmen, by critics at home and abroad, and by the man in the street. But he was unmoved. His simplicity of nature prevented success from spoiling him. As he said, he had too much respect for his dignity ever to stand upon it.

The Laird of Abbotsford.

Scott was a tremendous entertainer so that his wife complained that her home was more like a hotel than a house. He was beloved by all and even cynics like Byron had nothing but praise for the Laird of Abbotsford.

In 1817 Scott had his first attack of serious illness, a form of cramp in the stomach (probably gall stones). This caused violent pain and would have deterred anyone of less buoyant temperament and resolute will from writing. While dictating "The Bride of Lammermoor," the most tragic of his novels, he twisted in agony on the sofa and ordered the windows and door of the room to be closed lest others should hear his groans. And later, when he read that novel in printed form, he could not recollect a single incident, character or conversation it contained.

Otherwise fortune seemed to smile on Scott. Novel after novel, numerous articles and reviews as well as a ponderous "Life of Napoleon" came from his tireless pen. He entertained more lavishly than ever and in his healthy intervals fished and hunted. He was a reckless rider with a great fancy for fording swollen rivers. Mungo Park's brother, himself a daring adventurer, would remonstrate with him: "The devil is in ye, Shirral! Ye'll never halt till they bring ye hame wi' your feet foremost." The Abbotsford Hunt was one of the events of the Border season, and if the hunting was gone too good the guests could always find consolation in the good cheer and lavish entertainment that wound up the day. It is related how one farmer on being roused by his wife on the morning after the Abbotsford Hunt groaned as he clasped his throbbing head: "Oh Ailie, lass, dinna waken me. I wish I could sleep a twelvemonth till the next Abbotsford Hunt as it's the only thing I ken worth livin' for."

The Last Phase.

In 1825 during a great trade depression the Ballantyne and Constable firms with which Scott was connected failed, and Scott, aged fifty-five and suffering from a painful malady, refusing to go bankrupt took upon his now drooping shoulders the whole debt of £120,000 and pledged himself to pay off every creditor in full. Then, gentlemen, began the most heroic effort in all literary history. For the remainder of his days Scott toiled unceasingly displaying a courage, determination and optimism never exceeded by the boldest of his Border ancestors or by any of his characters real or fictitious. He had six years to live—years of sickness, domestic affliction, agonising pain and incessant work. But his courage and even his good humour never deserted him. He gave up his house in Edinburgh, fought ill-health, worked fourteen hours a day with a body partially paralysed and with little more than half a brain. He was almost constantly tired, and there are few more pathetic pictures than the old grey head of the weary titan bowed on the desk in utter fatigue. In five years he paid off £70,000—an enormous sum of money a hundred years ago—and after his death, when his copyrights were finally disposed of, the uttermost penny of any indebtedness was discharged. It is the greatest epic of literary heroism on record—the enemy an overwhelming debt; the weapon of attack a quill pen; the fighter a weary knight-errant with failing body and brain driving the pen remorselessly

into the heart of the foe and conquering but dying in the attempt. Let us go to his Journal to see how he took the blow. There he writes:

"I feel neither dishonoured nor broken down . . . but, I feel my eyes moistening, and that will not do. I will not yield, without a fight for it. . . . I will involve no friend, either rich or poor. My own right hand shall do it. . . . O, invention, rouse thyself! . . . I want to finish my task, and then Good-night. I will never relax my labour in these affairs, either for fear of pain or love of life. I will die a free man if hard working will do it."

Friends.

It is pleasing to know that in these dark days friends rallied round and showed their love and sympathy. His daughter's music-master offered all his savings to help: Sir William Forbes, the successful rival in Scott's first love affair settled secretly a demand for £2,000 which might have involved arrest: the coachman became ploughman: the butler halved his wages and doubled his work and there was scarcely a former dependant who did not show similar tokens of loyal affection.

But no human frame or brain could endure such usage and in 1830 Scott had a paralytic stroke. Nevertheless he struggled on, obeying all the orders of the doctor but one—the command to stop working. Then came a second stroke and with it the merciful illusion that his debts were paid and he was again a free man. Only then did he consent to take the sea voyage recommended by the physicians.

For several months he cruised about the Mediterranean. But it was too late, and feeling that the end was near he insisted on being carried across Europe to die where he had lived and was loved, at Abbotsford.

Gravestone.

Scott was doubly great—great when the sun blazed and greater when the storm attacked with typhoon force. Prosperity failed to spoil him. Even the animals sensed his goodness. Never was there a grayer lover of dogs and horses, and Washington Irving laughingly relates how he and others enjoyed Scott's embarrassment when on going to the hunt Scott had great difficulty in dissuading a frisky young pig from accompanying him.

He had no very high opinion of his own work as literature and when an admirer compared him to Shakespeare he declared he wasn't worthy to be Shakespeare's brogue. But he underestimated his own genius and his place among the immortals is secure.

Scotsmen Are Deeply In His Debt.

As Scotsmen we are deeply in his debt. More than any other he helped to fuse Highlands and Lowlands and make Scotland a unity. He also produced in England and even on the Continent a Scottish cult at a time when Scottish loyalty was not above suspicion. Who but Scott could have arrayed George IV in a kilt and what magic but his could have caused the grand-nephew of the Duke of Cumberland, the Butcher of Culloden, to propose the toast: "The Chieftains and Clans of Scotland!" It was through Scott's romances that the tartan became Scotland's emblem and the pipes her music. When he visited Brussels after Waterloo and was welcomed by Wellington and, to his confusion, kissed by a foreign general, a bevy of Russian Princesses arrayed themselves in tartan specially in his honour.

One of Scott's greatest gifts was his power to create ordinary people. Lawyer, sheriff, landed proprietor, the friend of princes and nobles he was greatest as an author when describing the characters and conversations of such children of the soil as Jeanie Deans, Edie Ochiltree, Meg Dods, Dandie Dinmont, Nanty Ewart, etc.

He was buried, as he desired, in Dryburgh Abbey. His biographer and son-in-law, Lockhart, sleeps at his feet and a few yards off lie the mortal remains of Sir Douglas Haig. In his sixty-one strenuous years Scott got through a prodigious amount of work. The sword was worn out by use not by rust and he had been faithful to his own creed:

"One crowded hour of glorious life is worth an age without a name." He gloried in describing noble characters and heroic deeds, but none of the deeds he records is nobler than his own amazing effort and he portrays no character more worthy of our respect and admiration than himself.

I now ask you, gentlemen, to

(Continued on next Column.)

MURDER CHARGE.

THREE FUKIENESE IN DOCK

FATAL QUARREL ON DUTCH STEAMER.

Three Fukienese appeared before Mr. J. A. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday on a charge of murder. The men charged are Li Po, Po Ho, and So Ming Sui, who are alleged to have murdered Ho Gin Shan on board the Dutch steamer Tjisidane on August 24 last.

Mr. Peter Sin appeared for the second defendant.

The case for the Crown was conducted by Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, who, in outlining the case said:— "The s.s. Tjisidane arrived in port on August 23 from the Dutch East Indies with about 1,500 Chinese on board. The Chinese concerned in this case are Fukienese. On August 24, while the ship was tied up at a buoy at about 6 a.m., two ships' officers heard scuffling and shouting on the upper 'tween deck. They rushed down and found a man lying on the deck covered in blood, while numbers of people were beating him with poles.

Stab Wound.

He had a stab wound in his breast and was evidently seriously wounded. He was removed to the ship's hospital. Enquiries made by the officers led to the detainment of these three men, who were taken to the Water Police station. The wounded man was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital at 9.40 a.m. on the 24th and at 12.40 p.m. the same day his condition was considered so serious that his dying depositions were taken.

In his depositions the deceased said that at 8 a.m., while ascending the steps to the upper deck, he accidentally knocked against the first accused who struck him with a pole. He then said that the second and third accused hit him with a pole and first accused took out a knife and stabbed him. He knew these three men, as he had played cards with them.

After the deceased's depositions had been taken, he appeared to make a rapid recovery, and was discharged from hospital on August 30. By mutual consent, he stayed at the Water Police Station and was sent to the Kowloon Hospital but died on the way.

In answer to a charge of murder, the three defendants denied taking any part in the death of Ho Gin Shan.

Medical Evidence.

The first witness called was Dr. G. H. Thomas, of the Government Civil Hospital, who said that at 9.40 a.m. a man named Ho Gin Shan was brought to the hospital, and at 10.30 a.m. he examined him and found that he had a 3 inch stab wound on the left side of his chest, also a small superficial cut on his right cheek. The stab wound was bleeding profusely.

At 12.40 p.m. on the same day, deceased's lying depositions were taken. Towards evening the patient's condition improved and by the 27th of the month he appeared normal again. On the application of the police, he permitted the patient to be discharged on August 30. He did not suspect there was anything wrong with his heart.

In answer to Mr. Sin (for Po Ho), witness said that Ho Gin Shan was to all intents and purposes a healthy man. There were no symptoms to suggest heart disease. The stab wound might have been inflicted by a sharp pointed instrument like a knife, but not with a pole or stick.

After further evidence had been submitted, the case was adjourned.

drink to his Immortal Memory.

The Chairman, Chieftain Stevenson, aptly thanked the speaker for his interesting and brilliant handling of the subject.

Evening's Entertainment.

The members and guests were played in to dinner to the strains of "Domhnall Dubh," rendered by pipers under the leadership of Pipe-Major C. K. Mackie.

During the course of the evening Mr. R. M. Keown and Mr. J. B. Macdonald delighted the gathering with splendidly rendered Scottish songs. Two sets of pipe selections were also played; the first set comprising "Shores of Argyll," "Macnab's March," "London's Bonnie Woods and Braes," "Piper of Drummond," and "Back of Benachie." The second set comprised "Locheven Castle," "Bugle Horn," "Marches of Handly," "Tail Tattle," and "Highland Laddie." Both sets were enthusiastically received.

At the President's table were the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Mr. W. Kay, the Rev. Mr. Powell, and Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar.

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In the case of all applications received from the 18th August, 1932, to the 31st October, 1932, for metered connections in the Water Main areas, the connections will be made free of charge.

Applicants should obtain application form from the Water Authority, Public Works Department, to whom the forms should be returned when duly completed.

R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
Hong Kong, 1st Sept., 1932. [2512]

HONG KONG AMUSEMENTS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ELEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the QUEEN'S THEATRE, Queen's Road, Central, on WEDNESDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER, 1932, at NOON, to pass the Directors' Report and Accounts, to elect retiring Directors and Auditors, to declare a Dividend, and to transact any other Ordinary Business of the Company.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th to the 28th day of SEPTEMBER, 1932, both days inclusive.

Dated the 19th day of September, 1932.

By Order of the Board,

CHAS. S. ROSSELET,
Secretary. [2570]

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE NINTH EXTRA RACE MEETING is declared abandoned with the exception of the race for the Fifth Aggregate Stakes, which will be incorporated in the TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING to be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 24th SEPTEMBER, 1932.

Entrance Fees and Gate money will be refunded on application.

By Order of the Stewards,

S. A. SLEAP,
Acting Secretary. [2569]

NOTICE.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LTD.

CERTIFICATE No. 3422 for Ten Silver Shares, H.K. \$25 per Share paid up, Numbered 23661/23670 in the China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd. now converted into thirty four Gold Shares in the British Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd. standing in the name of KHOO BENG CHONG (Deceased) of Singapore has been declared LOST, and if at the Expiration of One Month from the date hereof the above Document be not forthcoming the Said Certificate will be deemed cancelled and of No Effect, and a NEW Certificate for the 'thirty four Gold Shares' will be issued in its stead by the Company.

PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hong Kong, 16th September, 1932. [2563]

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 24th SEPTEMBER, 1932, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Half will be Rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including Tea) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for payment of all Chits, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On no pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

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The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

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S. A. SLEAP,
Acting Secretary.
Hong Kong, 16th Sept., 1932. [2563]

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MARRIAGE.

THOMAS-CLARK—On July 30, 1932, at Brixton Unitarian Church, by the Rev. Herbert Crabtree, HENRY HUGH THOMAS, H.B.M. Vice-Consul, Japan, only son of Mr. H. C. Thomas and the late Mrs. Thomas, of East Dulwich, to RUEDA CECIL, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. CLARK, of West Dulwich.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. A. G. COPPIN and family wish to thank all friends for their kind expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement and for all floral tributes. [2577]

The family of the late Mr. LO CHUNG KUN tender their heartfelt thanks to all friends for their presence at the funeral, for letters of condolence and for floral tributes in their sad bereavement.

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A NEW BRITISH INDUSTRY.

A MODERN and welcome development in Great Britain is the growth of the canning industry. For several years it has doubled its output annually, and this year will show further expansion on a substantial scale. This is of considerable importance from various points of view. Perhaps the most important is that it is easing the pressure of unemployment in various districts; then it is getting numbers of workers back to agricultural pursuits; and it is encouraging British manufacturers to break new ground and to look for new openings for their capital and energy in this period of industrial depression.

Last year the output of the factories was 83,000,000 cans. It is as yet too early to estimate what figure will be reached this year, but certainly last year's will be considerably exceeded. Every canning district in the country has been working at full capacity. One of the largest companies turned out nearly 500,000 cans a day during the season for peas, strawberries,

gooseberries, and raspberries. This cannery, situated in Wisbech, has steadily expanded during recent years until to-day it occupies a site of nearly seventeen acres, most of which is covered by automatic machinery and warehouses. About a quarter of a million cans of peas was the daily output at one period in July. They were mainly drawn from 1,600 acres sown with seed supplied by the firm itself, in order to ensure uniformity of quality and flavour, and the yield per acre was about 33 hundredweights. Aerages of soft fruit were in similar proportions, and growers were receiving higher prices than usual for their product.

This is one of the few industries where export is rapidly expanding. Shipments have been made to Hong Kong, Malaya, and Manila, and repeat orders for larger quantities have been received. Within the Empire British canned fruits and vegetables are being bought by India, Egypt, West and East Africa, the West Indies, Northern and Southern Rhodesia, and Honduras. The high quality and the distinctive flavour of these British products are winning them golden opinions wherever they are tried, and such is the demand in some districts that canning companies are offering to build and equip factories as fast as farmers and gardeners can develop cultivation to justify it. This is particularly gratifying in view of the fact that a few years ago English fruit and vegetable canning activities were negligible; while now it is claimed that, in comparison with the possibilities, the export market has scarcely been touched. Among the commodities in greater demand are celery, new potatoes (of a variety suitable for canning purposes), spinach, new carrots, loganberries, seedless blackberries, and asparagus, and in consequence in many agricultural districts there is greater optimism regarding the future than there has been since pre-war days.

Another bright aspect is the obvious development in the can-making industry. Outputs continue to break all records. In some cases the larger canning firms possess their own can-making units; but the overwhelming proportion of containers are bought in a fabricated state, requiring only to be filled and sealed. One can-making factory occupies a site of twenty acres at Worcester, and this year it and the eighteen other factories owned by the same company have been working at high pressure to keep pace with the demand for cans.

The Worcester factory turns out cans at the rate of 1,200 a minute. (Continued on next Column.)

AIR MAIL BY EMPRESS.

RECORD TIMES FROM ENGLAND.

The Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., is now in receipt of advices that the Empress of Britain which arrived in Quebec on August 6 carried mail which was delivered by means of the air mail service for the following destinations in much faster times than have been previously made:

London to Montreal—3 days 22 hours; London to Ottawa—4 days 5 hours; 4 London to Toronto—4 days 8 hours; London to Winnipeg—5 days 15 hours; London to Calgary—6 days 17 hours; London to Vancouver—8 days 3 hours; London to New York—4 days 6 hours; London to Washington—4 days 8 hours; London to Chicago—4 days 15 hours; London to Los Angeles—5 days 6 hours.

One thousand pounds of air mail was taken off the Empress of Britain in the Straits of Belle Isle for the above distribution.

'VARSITY SWIMMING CLUB.

ANNUAL SPORTS ON SATURDAY.

The University Swimming Club will hold its first Aquatic Sports on Saturday at 1 p.m., at the Chinese Bathing Club. Sir William Hornell will distribute the prizes on that day.

The programme will consist of the following events:—

50 Metres free style
100 metres free style
200 metres free style
400 metres free style
100 metres breast stroke
200 metres breast stroke
100 metres back stroke
400 metres free style (open to Co. boys)

Throwing the water polo ball
Long plunge
Water Polo Match (Past and Present students of the University vs Army and Navy).

LOCAL PROBATES.

Resending of certified Copy of the probate of the will and codicil of George Winstanley Barton, late of Hong Kong, has been granted to Mr. D. J. Lewis, solicitor of Hong Kong.

The late Mr. Barton, who lived in Wimbledon, Surrey died on March 30 this year and left estate which was sworn under \$215,400.

Resending of exemplification of Letters of Administration of the estate of Jung Ling, restaurant proprietor, of Clatham, England, has been granted to Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor of Hong Kong.

Mr. Jung Ling died on March 8 and left estate sworn under \$15,800. Estate to the amount of \$40,300 was left by Yuen Wah, alias Yuen Yik Yin, merchant, who died in Hong Kong on July 10, 1932. Probate of the will has been granted to the widow.

This and the next largest factory, at Acton, of ten acres turned out 23,000,000 cans in 1930; in 1931 they turned out 63,000,000 cans, and this year the output will be about 100,000,000 cans. Further, the can-making industry is also developing a considerable export trade. For convenience in transport, the cans are sent abroad in an unassembled form; the cylindrical part of the body is flattened out and the ends kept separate. The canneries overseas which buy them are supplied with the necessary machines for re-shaping the cans and for sealing and closing the ends.

Thus from every point of view the industry seems to have a bright future before it. The British soil, properly tilled, produces the finest fruits and vegetables, and the British cultivator is seldom satisfied with anything but the best when once he feels assured of a market. For generations Great Britain led the world in mechanical invention, and already British canners have improved on some of the best of foreign machines, whilst British tin has been known and valued for many centuries. There remains now only the most rapid development in production that circumstances will permit; and the proper organization of machinery for selling advantageously at home and abroad.

★ News and Views ★

Who Told You that?

"Why do they use double-barrel guns?" "Because, my dear, they always shoot grouse in pairs."

Something Settled at Ottawa.

Ottawa may have left many things unsettled, but at least one question has been thrashed out. Canada once fondly believed that the habit of serving cheese with apple tart was purely Canadian, but on the authority of Mr. Baldwin, who claimed Mr. Kipling, his cousin, as a witness, it is now accepted that the practice originated in Yorkshire. The Dominion has given preference to this English export.

Hardrop Fetches \$200.

A fine Tibetan hard-drop brought back by the Batt-Baird Himalayan Expedition last year brought \$200 at Glendinning's, London.

The hard-drop is tin, long, and in the eighteenth century belonged to the Maharajah of Sikkim. It is made of solid gold inlaid with turquoise plaques, and in the centre has a 28-grain pearl.

There are only four hard-drops known in Tibet, this example is the only one to leave the country.

Sir Walter Scott.

Classical novelists have their vogue or fashion, and their periods of eclipse, but each and all have devoted adherents, who know and love their respective works. Meredith, George Eliot and even Sir Walter Scott, to name three, are not the sellers they were, but that is not to say they are unread. To anyone who is looking for a 'favourite author' among the immortals the fine address of Mr. William Kay, delivered yesterday at the St. Andrew's Society dinner in honour of the Sir Walter Scott Centenary, can be recommended. There is a picture of a great author and a great man—a picture that should make new Scott disciples in Hong Kong and stir the hearts of the old ones.

The Unemployed in Colombo.

Since October last year two lakhs of rupees have been voted by the Ceylon State Council for providing work for the unemployed. At the beginning of this month all but Rs. 24,980 of this sum had been spent. A fresh vote of Rs. 25,320 has been asked and the Colombo Municipal Council has agreed to contribute another lakh, and thus Rs. 150,000 will be available for further relief of unemployment. It is well-known that the men shown out of work in the city far outnumber the estimates and that many have been reduced to such desperate straits that the State's efforts to rescue them are utterly inadequate. —Ceylon Observer.

The Hangman.

The miserable end of John Ellis, ex-hangman of England, raises the chief argument in favour of abolishing capital punishment in Great Britain, namely the extremely bad effect on all who have to assist in carrying out the extreme process of the law. It was said that the execution of Mrs. Edith Thompson broke Ellis' nerve. He "resigned" soon after, and later appeared as "the hangman" in a play depicting an execution. The Centor checked his historic career and Ellis, reduced to want, tried to take his life, but failed. There is a derisive history of those sorry blackguards "The Hangmen of England," but it stops short of Ellis.

Why Dough-boys?

The origin of the term "dough-boy" is obscure, and goes back to the War of Secession, when the Federal soldiers wore enormous globular brass buttons that were said to resemble dumplings. The soldiers of the first American contingent to land in Europe during the last war were called "Sammies," a name so offensive to them that their commander publicly asked that they should in future be known as doughboys.

Better Days for Artists.

The present boomlet is bringing back a measure of prosperity to artists, says a writer in a Home paper, who adds:—

I was talking to an American painter with a reputation in Paris, where he has lived for the last ten years. He has been in London for four months, during which time he has made as much money as he normally makes in a year. A recent show in Bond-street was the most successful the exhibitor had ever had. By lowering his usual prices by about 20 per cent. he sold twice as many pictures as usual.

No Ebb to Wireless Wave.

It is expected that the number of British wireless licence holders would, pass the five million mark during the forthcoming Radio Exhibition.

The graph of licence holders has risen almost perpendicularly during the last three years. In every case there has been a particularly steep rise in the early autumn. The more detailed licence analysis is a mirror of industrial conditions. Only a minute proportion of homes in the heavy industrial districts are equipped with listening sets, while almost the whole of the south-east of England is well above the average.

To-day's Quotation.

The good man is a friend to himself; by doing right he will benefit himself and be a help to others. —Aristotle.

Local and General

The Colony had a clean bill of health for Tuesday.

Tung Wan, a blind beggar, was ordered to be sent back to Canton, by Mr. Wynne-Jones, when charged in Central Court yesterday.

A lecture will be given at the Club Lusitano to-morrow from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. by Dr. Mistowski, F.C.C.L. Teachers, senior pupils, and friends are cordially invited.

Li Sam, 55, was fined \$220 or two months' imprisonment by Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday for having in his possession 2½ taels of raw opium valued at \$78.

A small fire broke out on Tuesday in the Paramount Chemical Works at 581, Canton Road. It is stated that one employee on the premises was burnt about the arms and legs and had to be sent to hospital.

Fr. L. Banchio, of the local Italian Mission, left for Naples on Saturday. He has been invalided home on medical advice to enter a sanatorium for nervous diseases, and will be away for about a year.

A corpse recovered from the water near the Kowloon Godowns on Tuesday has been identified as being that of Leung Ping Hang an unemployed seaman, of 20, Park Street, who committed suicide on Sunday by throwing himself from the ferry Man Wai.

What promises to be an interesting lecture is to be delivered at St. Andrew's Church Hall at 9 p.m. this evening, when the Rev. Alfred Swann, M.S., D.S.C., Dean of St. John's Cathedral, will talk on his experiences in the Holy Land. An added interest to the lecture is the fact that the lantern slides to be shown, explanatory of the talk, have been made from photographs actually taken by the Dean during his sojourn in Palestine.

It is requested that members of the public interested in the ceremony connected with the distribution of police medals by H.E. the Officer Administering the Government in the compound of the Central Police Station to-day be in their places by 4.55 p.m.

Three women were admitted to Kowloon Hospital on Tuesday from an unnumbered hut in Sha Lo Ha Village, Kowloon City, suffering from poisoning believed to have been contained in some tea which they drank. The tea has been forwarded to the Government Laboratory for analysis.

A fine of \$50 was imposed by Mr. Schofield yesterday on a Chinese woman who was convicted on a charge of keeping an unregistered music-hall. The case came to the notice of the authorities following a report made by the girl at No. 2 Police Station to the effect that she had been beaten.

For sheer audacity, a theft which took place at the Kwong Sang firm, dealers in curios and jewellery, is hard to beat. A young Chinese walked into the store, helped himself to a case containing some jade pieces and calmly walked out of the shop. He was observed and arrested by a fohi. Sentence of four months' hard labour was passed on him yesterday at the Magistracy.

The annual outing and picnic organised for the junior members of St. John's Cathedral Choir, took place on Tuesday afternoon when some eighteen boys journeyed by launch to Junk Bay, where games, swimming, surf-board riding, and games were indulged in. Towards the end of the afternoon an excellent tea was provided, Messrs. Lane Crawford and Co., being the caterers. The launch making the outing possible was kindly loaned by Messrs. Dowdell and Co. Mr. Maurice Barton, The Rev. N. V. Hayward, and Mr. Frederick Mason, choir master, in whose hands were the arrangements of the affair, were also present.

AT THE PENINSULA HOTEL.

LIST OF GUESTS.

The following guests are staying at the Peninsula Hotel:—

Major N. U. Adams.
Mr. Berliacini, Mr. E. G. Bird, Mrs. F. Bown and son, Col. and Misses H. and J. Boyd, Mr. A. F. Brennan, Mrs. M. W. Brennan, Mrs. O. Brocklebank, Capt. J. W. Bundred, Capt. Burgess, Mr. O. D. Burnette, Mr. R. G. Butler.
Mr. A. C. Caplan, Mr. R. L. Clark and family, Dr. J. E. H. Cogan, Mrs. E. Cogan, General M. A. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Craig, Mr. F. H. Crapnell.
Mr. W. H. S. Dent, Col. and Mrs. E. S. Doughty, Dr. and Mrs. Drenkhahn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Easterbrook.
Miss D. Faye, Mr. C. R. Ferrajolo, Mrs. Ferrand, Capt. and Mrs. W. Field-Hook, Mr. R. H. Fischer, Mr. J. Frisque, Lady Furnival.

Mr. R. W. Gardiner, Mr. I. H. Geare, Mr. L. L. Gilson, Mr. and Mrs. Goldie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gould, Col. and Mrs. F. E. Gowan, Mr. T. M. Gregory, Mr. F. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall, Major A. L. Harris, Mr. E. Hausmann, Mr. Theo. Henriquez, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hodgson, Mrs. L. Howie.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jones.
Mr. L. Kadoorie, Mr. A. Keith, Mr. E. A. Kinsley, Mr. T. S. Kilkeny, Mr. C. F. Knight.
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lamore, Mr. G. B. Lane, Mr. O. Lara, Mr. P. A. Laroche, Col. J. G. Lecky, Mr. and Mrs. Ledesma and family, Mrs. G. Lmadaine.

Mr. G. B. McCormick, Rev. T. S. McDermott, Mrs. E. McDiarmid, Mr. E. J. McGinn, Mr. W. L. McKennie, Mr. E. H. Melbye, Mrs. M. Mien, Mr. A. H. Morant.

Mrs. D. Norman.
Mr. W. Owen.
Mr. A. M. Parker, Lt.-Comdr. J. M. Park, Mr. W. G. Pirie.

Mr. F. Reck, Mr. T. S. Reed, Mr. F. Reinshagen, Mr. F. C. E. Rendall, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Rubio.
Mr. A. Salmikoff, Col. and Mrs. C. R. Savile, Mr. L. Scott, Mr. E. G. Smith, Mrs. J. D. Southern, Mr. R. Stillard, Mr. A. Stockink, Mr. L. E. Stone, Miss T. Svetlanova.

Mr. J. Thomson, Mr. G. Travers, Mr. A. Tromp, Miss M. G. Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Uiderup.

Mr. L. F. Van Calcar, Mr. M. J. Van Schuren.

Mr. J. W. Watson, Miss P. Webster, Mr. A. G. Wilcox, Mr. E. S. Winterbottom, Miss E. Wolner.

from the files.

Looking Back 25 Years.

A letter from Bishop Moule, of Mid China, has been received by the local Mid China Mission at East Fordington, Dorchester, the old home of the Bishop. An interesting account of the work in his enormous diocese is given. It was feared, said the Rev. E. C. Leslie, who presided at a meeting in connection with the mission at Carme, that the work would receive a check owing to the resignation of Bishop Moule. But the Bishop was still at his old post, and he desired to stay there and carry on the work until his death.—Hong Kong Daily Press, Sept. 22, 1907.

Looking Back 50 Years.

In his last commercial circular, Mr. Peter Maclean of Shanghai, says:—"The day of Companies in Shanghai has not yet gone. Still another has been started and almost floated amongst the natives—Capital Tzels. 200,000 in 3,000 shares of Tls. 100 each. It has for its object the manufacture, from native cotton, of cotton yarn, pure and simple, and this the producers expect to be able to produce at a cost of Tls. 45 a 50 per bale of 3 piculs, on a basis of Tls. 12 per picul for the raw material. For the preliminary center the machinery is to be up to a daily output of 60 bales. The direction is partly foreign and partly native. Moreover, and with reference to the native cotton goods factory, progress is reported."—Hong Kong Daily Press, Sept. 22, 1932.

JOAN MACDONALD
MARRIEDOMITS "OBEY" FROM
SERVICE

[REUTER AND BRITISH WIRELESS.]

LONDON, Sept. 20. MISS JOAN MACDONALD, the first Prime Minister's daughter, to be married to Chequers, today became the bride of Dr. Alastair Mackinnon, at the neighbouring town of Wendover.

The wedding was witnessed by hundreds of distinguished men of letters and politics who filled the little Congregational Chapel to overflowing.

The chapel was beautified by choice flowers from the gardens of Chequers.

The bride, who was markedly self-composed, omitted the word "obey" from the marriage service.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and his daughter Joan, who is a doctor like her husband, were both cheered to the echo on their arrival at Wendover.

People paid as much as five pounds for standing room in the cottage gardens opposite the chapel.

The destination of the happy couple on their honeymoon has been kept a close secret.

Both the bride and bridegroom studied as doctors at the same University.

The Prime Minister gave his daughter away in the presence of a very large congregation, including several Cabinet Ministers and other famous men and women.

Large crowds cheered the bride as a piper headed her car to the church. The reception ceremony was held at Chequers.

TATE HAS RELAPSE

NOT GOING TO AUSTRALIA

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 20. MAURICE Tate, Sussex and England bowler, will not accompany the M.C.C. team to Australia.

He suffered a relapse to-day and a definite decision was made. On the eve of the departure of the team, Tate was taken ill with nervous trouble, but recovered, and expected to join the team at Toulon to-day.

SCRAP OF PAPER
IN SPY CASE.

FOUND IN MILITARY CAMP.

The picking up of a scrap of paper has led to an accusation of espionage in which are involved a soldier of the Chasseurs Alpins, a foreign consular agent in Nice, and an Italian workman.

Some days ago a sergeant of the Chasseurs Alpins stationed with his battalion on the heights of Pierra-Cava found lying near the camp a slip of paper on which had been scribbled notes concerning the strength and movements of French troops in that part of the frontier. The sergeant at once handed the slip to an officer.

A brief inquiry led to the belief that the handwriting was that of a soldier of the battalion named Jacques Semeria. When arrested Semeria begged to be given a rifle or a pistol and left in solitude for a moment. As he obviously wished to commit suicide, his request was refused.

A Name Withheld.

He is then alleged to have made a full confession. He stated, it is said, that he had been collecting information concerning military affairs for transmission to a consular agent in Nice through the intermediary of an Italian named Antonio Berro, who had been employed for some time as a workman on the construction of frontier fortifications. Berro has also been arrested and is reported to have revealed the name of the foreigner for whom they had been working. But this has not been disclosed.

Semeria was born in Monte Carlo of Italian parents, and for some time was a teacher in a religious school there. On reaching his majority he had to decide whether he would adopt French or Italian nationality. First he decided to become an Italian, and left for Italy in order to join the navy. But on the journey he changed his mind and returned to enlist for five years in the Chasseurs Alpins.

It is believed that the military information he is alleged to have communicated to his paymasters is of little real importance.

METHODIST ACT OF
UNIONDUKE OF YORK AT
CEREMONY

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Sept. 20. THE legal Act of Union of the three Methodist churches in Britain, took place this afternoon in the Albert Hall in the presence of a large congregation, which included the Duke of York, who represented the King and who was accompanied by the Duchess.

The Bishop of London and other Bishops, leaders of Non-Conformity at home and abroad, the Lord Mayor of London, Mr. Walter Runciman (President of the Board of Trade), several members of Parliament, Sir Josiah Stamp and other prominent Methodists were present.

Conferences of the Wesleyan Methodist, the Primitive Methodist and the United Methodist churches having given their separate and joint assent to the deed, Dr. Scott Lidgett, President of the Uniting Conference, declared the Union accomplished.

There are over one million adherents in Britain of the Methodist Church, which comprises about twelve million members.

The Duke of York read a message from the King congratulating the United Churches:—"I welcome the Union as marking one step towards the unity of Christian people—a cause always near my heart."

The Duke of York said the Union marked the opening of a new era in the life of one of the greatest spiritual forces in the modern world. He regarded Methodism as a leading factor for world peace.

OFFICIAL HANGMAN
FOUND DEADOFFICIATED AT TWO
HUNDRED EXECUTIONS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 20. JOHN Ellis, who had been the official hangman for the last twenty-three years, was found dead at his home in Rochdale to-day with his throat cut.

Ellis was fifty-eight years of age and had been in ill-health for some little time.

He officiated at two hundred and three executions, including those of Dr. Crippen and Sir Roger Casement.

DISARMAMENT
CONFERENCECHIEF BRITISH DELEGATES
LEAVE LONDON

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Sept. 20. THE Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, and the First Lord of the Admiralty, Sir Bolton Eyres Monsell, left London this afternoon for Geneva to attend to-morrow's meeting of the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference.

NEW SITE FOR
MOTOR RECORDSAUSTRALIAN OFFER
TO WELL-KNOWN
RACING MOTORIST.

SYDNEY, Sept. 10.—Lake George, at the gateway to the Federal Territory, may be the scene of an attempt on the world speed record.

Mr. F. H. Stewart, who is backing "Wizard" Smith, the Australian racing motorist, to break the world's land speed record, was recently approached by a deputation from the Collector Progress Association, which urged the natural advantages of the lake in this regard.

He was assured that a straight, hard and almost perfectly level track of black soil, fifteen miles in length, could be rolled out.

Mr. Stewart, who was impressed by the claims and appreciated the sentiment that the project should be undertaken within the bounds of Australia, informed the press to-day that he had just received "Wizard" Smith's reply to the proposition.

Smith considers that he is under obligation to New Zealand, for the people there have assumed responsibility for the electric timing equipment, which is essential, and also have been most hospitable to his party, assisting in many ways.

He adds, however, that he is prepared to consider Lake George if those interested will assume responsibility for the preparation of the track and other incidentals.

Mr. Stewart told newspapermen to-day that he knew the natural advantages of the lake and was prepared to use his influence in the exploring of its possibilities.

GANDHI AGAIN
FITEARLY TERMINATION OF
FAST EXPECTED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

POONA, Sept. 21. TO-DAY Gandhi was early ailing, fit and well. He received visitors whose intervention is calculated to terminate his fast before long, as an agreement on the vexed question of the "Untouchables" franchise appears to be on the horizon.

This morning's visitors included the Liberal leaders, Sir Tej Sapru, Mr. Jayakar who spent two hours submitting to the Mahatma the new scheme evolved at a conference of Hindu leaders at Bombay, and which is believed to be acceptable to the "Untouchables" themselves.

FRAUD CLAIM BY
OLD WOMAN.JUDGE ON "LOVE AFFAIR
WITH BOY OF 21."

"My husband would think nothing of killing me...I am frightened of him...He has got £500 a year more out of me...He is a brute..."

These remarkable statements occurred in letters written shortly after her second marriage a few years ago by a woman, who stated during the hearing of her case that she is now 74.

They were read at the Leeds Assizes at the resumed hearing of the claim by Mrs. Georgiana Wells, late of York, and now of Hove (Sussex), for the return of £3,000 alleged to have been obtained from her by fraud in 1924 by Herbert Etherington, her nephew an electrical engineer, and Blanche Etherington, his wife, both of Moorgate, Acomb, York, and Cyril Haworth of Kirkhammerton.

When the case was opened Haworth, who was alleged to have played the part of Mrs. Wells' lover, and to have gone through a mock marriage with her, gave evidence on her behalf, and stated that he had taken part in defrauding Mrs. Wells, who was at that time Mrs. Sharp.

It was also stated that later Mrs. Sharp had settled £3 a week for life on a Mr. Wells before marrying him.

The Absent Husband.

At the resumed hearing last month judgment was entered, with costs, for Mr. and Mrs. Etherington. Judgment for Haworth was not asked for.

Mr. Willoughby Jardine, addressing the jury, said that the case was a very serious one from the point of view of Mr. and Mrs. Etherington, for it amounted to a charge of conspiracy and fraud.

Mr. Wells, he said, had evaded being called, and he believed he had deliberately kept out of the box because it might have been shown that it was his intention himself to "strip his wife of all her money."

Mr. Jardine then read extracts from the letters written shortly after her marriage by Mrs. Wells to Mrs. Etherington, whom she addressed as "Dearest Blanche."

In one of the letters she wrote: "I never thought Bobby (Mr. Wells) would have been such a rotter. He is going about with a married woman. I think he would not like me to have a penny, so that he could stamp on me and do what he likes."

Mr. Jardine said that the reason in his mind why this "Bobby the Brute"—the kind husband so notorious about his wife's interest—had not gone into the box was that no allegations were not true, that the story had been concocted by himself and Haworth, who were two rogues.

Mr. Arthur Morley, for Mrs. Wells, said there was no inducement to get Haworth to tell anything but the truth.

"Sexual Abnormality."

The letters from Mrs. Wells, by Mr. Jardine, had been introduced only to blackguard Wells, and had nothing whatever to do with the case.

It might be true that in 1924 this old woman had some sexual abnormality, but if that were so, it was a matter which called for sympathy only.

He submitted that Mrs. Wells had been swindled by Herbert Etherington, who exploited the infirmity of the old woman, combining with the weakness of the young man.

Mr. Justice Finlay, summing up, said that the case was an interesting and in several ways a very unpleasant one.

First of all, there were the letters written by Mrs. Wells to the young man—indecent letters—to a man between an old woman of 74 and a boy of 21. Such letters led to a very bitter taste in one's mouth.

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JAPAN ACCEDES TO
BRITISH REQUESTREGARDING CAPTIVES IN
MANCHURIAN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, Sept. 21. IT is reported from Mukden that the Japanese Military authorities have agreed to accede to the British request to safeguard the Chinese intermediary between the bandits and Mr. Phillips, and pending the release of Mrs. Pawley and Mr. Corkran, not to attack their captors even if in the meantime they commit further outrages.

PAWLEY-CORKRAN
OUTRAGEGENEROUS OFFER BY
"DAILY MAIL"

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 20. THE Daily Mail, in "hopes of stimulating the authorities, to prompt and decisive steps" to save Mrs. Pawley and Mr. Charles Corkran, announces that it is willing to offer £10,000 towards the cost of bringing them to safety.

The sum, the journal declares, may either be paid as ransom or used to meet the cost of a rescue party, or applied in any other way which may be thought fit to secure their release.

In Hong Kong
To-day

FAIR GENERALLY

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.40 P.M., STATED:—

THE ANTI-CYCLONE REMAINS OVER SOUTH MANCHURIA, AND THE SEA OF JAPAN. A TYphoon OF LIMITED AREA IS SITUATED ABOUT 300 MILES SOUTH-EAST OF HONG KONG; ITS DIRECTION OF MOTION IS AT PRESENT UNKNOWN. LOCAL FORECAST: N.E. WINDS, MODERATE TO FRESH; FAIR GENERALLY.

WIVES NOT TO BE
MINISTERS.BISHOP SHARES HYMN-
BOOK WITH METHODIST.

Manchester.—There is no obstacle to the entrance of women to the ministry of the Methodist Church which cannot be overcome with patience and goodwill.

This view is expressed in a report of the committee appointed to consider the admission of women to the ministry which was read at the Methodist Conference in Manchester recently.

On the question of marriage the committee expressed the opinion that all offers for the ministry should be for life service, and that as by marriage a woman accepted another vocation involving responsibilities which would interfere with the fulfilment of the duties of a woman minister, marriage should be regarded as equivalent to resignation unless on special application the conference determined otherwise.

As the question of women ministers is to be considered by the newly united Methodist Church in London in September, the conference did not discuss the report.

Happier Days.

The Bishop of Manchester Dr. Guy Warman, headed a deputation to the Church of England and the Free Church Council.

Welcoming the visitors Dr. H. M. Maltby Hughes, President of the Conference, spoke of the "happier relations" that now existed between the Churches.

Dr. Hughes shared a hymn-book with the bishop, who commented: "If in 1791—the first time the conference met in Manchester after John Wesley's death—the audience had been told that one day the president of the Wesleyan Conference would share a hymn-book with a proud and pompous prelate, and sing with him one of Luther's hymns, I think they would have been horrified and appalled."

He did not propose to discuss the character of Wells referred to in the very painful letters written affectionately by Mrs. Wells to her niece. He married a woman 30 years older than himself, and he (the judge) thought the jury would have no doubt that he married her for her money.

SHANTUNG CIVIL
WARLULL IN FIGHTING
REPORTED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

CHEFOO, Sept. 21. THE situation is quiet here and the general belief is that the lull in the fighting will continue pending the outcome of the present negotiations for a peaceful settlement of hostilities between General Han Fu Chu and General Liu Chen Lien.

No clash in the Laiyang area is as yet reported.

PLAYING JAPAN'S
"GAME"?

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 21. IF the Shantung war lords are not definitely playing the Japanese game, they could not be presented at Tokyo by a better opportunity, comments the Manchester Guardian. It observes that rapine civil wars are a normal rule in China but the trouble in Shantung has special importance, owing to the attractiveness of the peninsula to Japanese imperialists and military, as a diversion in North China would be valuable to both Japanese soldiers in Manchuria and Japanese diplomats.

The Morning Post argues that Pu Yi, historically, has a personal claim. As Manchuria was a personal appendage of the Manchus, there is poetic justice in Pu Yi becoming the titular Governor of his ancestral estates if the new protectorate could be justified, as it can be by the establishment of security and good government, and if bandit outrages can be ended in order to establish the "open door" to be maintained as Japan promises. Then not Japan alone but the rest of the world would profit.

CRISIS IN
MANCHURIAUNITED STATES SEEK
SUPPORT

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 21. THE Times' Washington correspondent says that the British aide memoire has been sympathetically received. Officials point out that the Government would regret any move towards an increase in armaments, and that the aide memoire has aroused interest in the visit of Senator Reed to London and Paris.

It is understood that Mr. Reed hinted to M. Herriot, yesterday, that the United States would support a French veto on the German claim in return for French support to the United States' attitude in the Far East.

Mr. Reed is one of the administrations staunchest supporters in the Senate and should Mr. Reed be induced to support the League in any form of pressure against Japan, the Senate might reasonably be supposed to follow him.

Last year United States' cooperation with the League respecting Manchuria was handicapped by the Senate's refusal to co-operate.

Although Mr. Stimson has refrained from commenting on Mr. Reed's mission it is believed that Mr. Reed was instructed to assure the British Government that America would support the League in any Manchurian decision.

N.Z. CRICKETER FOR
ENGLAND.R. C. BLUNT, AN ALL-ROUND-
ER, GOING TO NOTTS.

Wellington, N.Z., Sept. 11.—Roger Charles Blunt, one of the best all-round cricketers on the New Zealand team who toured England last summer, has accepted a business appointment at Nottingham and is leaving for England at the end of this month.

Blunt was born at Durham on November 3, 1900, and he was only six months old when the family left England for New Zealand.

His first visit to England was in 1927, when he came over with the first New Zealand team ever to tour Britain.

A difficult man to get out, Blunt also can hit extremely hard. Playing in a club match for West Christ Church recently, he sent the ball seven times out of the ground for six in the course of an over of eight balls. Last summer, he made the highest score of the tour when he totalled 225 not out at Eastbourne against the Gentlemen of England. Blunt also is a slow legbreak and googly bowler.

SURRENDER OR
STARVE.THE "REDS" IN A SORRY
PLIGHT.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

CANTON, Sept. 21.

Representatives of the different papers here called on General Yu Han Miao, Commander of the 1st Column of the Canton Expeditionary Army in Kiangsi, with the object of getting his views on the "Red" situation.

General Yu said he had not decided when to return to "the front" but as far as he could make out from reports received from his field headquarters in Kiangsi, all approaches to the outlaws have been blocked by the Government troops so that the former will either have to surrender or starve to death.

This report is confirmed by refugees from the "war zone," who also state that rehabilitation work is making good progress.

The general said he could not confirm the reports which are to the effect that the "Reds" have retreated to the western border of Fukien.

A statement by General Chen Chang, commander of the 2nd Independent Division, is to the effect that from Taiyu to Shunfung (Kiangsi), there is no trace whatever of the "Reds."

SOUTH WEST POLITICAL
COUNCIL.APPOINTS ASSIST. JUDGE FOR
CANTON SUPREME COURT.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

CANTON, Sept. 21.

General Li Tsung Jen presided at the 34th session of the South West Political Council which was held here yesterday when the proposal submitted by the Department of Finance to divide the province into 33 separate districts for the collection of tobacco taxes came up for considerable discussion. No decision, however, was arrived at, and it was agreed to hold the matter in abeyance.

The Council approved the appointment of Mr. Luk Pei Kam as assistant judge of the South West Branch of the Supreme Court in Canton.

Among those present at the meeting were:—Generals Chen Tsi Tong and Au Fong Po, Messrs. Chow Lu, Liu Chi Wen, Li Hin Sang, Chang Yin Man, Mak Woon Chang, Lo Yi Chun, Lin Yun Koi, Teng Chik Yu, Teng Tsang Yang, Yang Hsi Chik, Li Pau and Chen Yung.

RIVER STEAMER
STRIKE.

SEVERAL VESSELS LAID UP.

EFFORTS TO SETTLE.

The steamers Sai On and Charles

Hardouin, of the Tung On Steamship Company, are for the moment laid up in Canton, owing to the crews having gone on strike.

The Company also owns the a.s. Tung On and Paul Beau, which are also on the Hong Kong-Canton run, and in order to prevent the crews of these steamers from joining the strikers in Canton, the two vessels, which are now in Hong Kong, are also suspended from the services.

The Tung On Steamship Company also owns the Hang Cheong and Sing Cheong, which are operated between Canton and Macao, but so far these steamers have not been affected.

It is understood that a representative of the Tung On Steamship Company has proceeded to Canton to negotiate with the strikers and no effort will be spared to bring about a settlement. It is believed that certain recent dismissals are being resented by the crew.

It is believed that both the Chinese authorities in Canton and the British Consulate in Shanghai are endeavouring to bring the strike to an end.

The Canton Seamen's Guild, according to messages from that City, have presented the following demands to the Tung On Steamship Company:—(1) Dismissal of the existing Chinese inspectors on the two vessels concerned; (2) An increase in wages; (3) Re-instatement of the dismissed members of the crew, or alternatively, that the Guild secure new workers to take their places.

S.W.B. WHIST DRIVE.

PLEASANT FUNCTION ON
TUESDAY.

The South Wales Borderers held a very successful whist drive in the Sergeants' Mess, Murray Barracks, on Tuesday evening. There were twenty tables; and C/Sgt. Jarman made a very efficient M.C.

After the whist drive, Mrs. Norman, wife of Sergeant-Major Norman, S.W.B., presented the prizes.

The results were as follows:—Gentlemen:—1st, G.S.M. Gilmartin; 2nd, Petty Officer Scott, R.N. Bobby, Mr. X, R.N.

Ladies:—1st, Mrs. Sandiman; 2nd, Mrs. Gilmartin. Booby, Mrs. Bradley.

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Sports News

THE ORIGIN AND HISTORY OF THE M.C.C.

MORE PERSONALITIES.

ARTICLE XI.

[By R. ABBIT.]

The portion of my chief source of information, "Lord's and the M.C.C." which deals with the early Victorian period of the Club is full of the greatest interest, and I have drawn on it liberally for my data as regards the personalities of the day. I have too found wisdom a great help in his list of cricketers. The original John Wisden by the way comes into the period. It must have been most pleasant to have been elected to the Club in the Forties. In those days the Pavilion was a wooden building painted green. The Tavern in those days was a real rustic tavern with bow windows and a row of very leafy lime trees in front. Anyone who knows what it is to sit or walk beneath a thick avenue of limes with their delicate fragrance, and the humming of innumerable bees—have any of my readers ever walked in the close at Old Blundell's?—can readily imagine how delightful it must have been to sit there with a long churchwarden, plenty of tobacco, and perhaps what Mr. Pops used to call a "flaggon of ale," while watching the excellent cricket.

But they were progressive in those days! The telegraph board was introduced in 1846. In 1849 a small room was built for the professionals, and it is interesting to remember that the professionals come out to bat now through what might be described as the north gate, tho' as a matter of fact the present pavilion faces north-east. In this year too during the match between the M.C.C. and Sussex score-cards were first issued. They were printed in a portable press on the ground and much the same procedure is followed now save that I don't think the press is portable! Even before this the scorers were given an elevated platform for privacy and possibly to enable them to see better. It was not, of course, covered or screened in any way. In the earlier prints you will see the scorers depicted as sitting on a sort of garden bench about ten yards inside the ring of spectators.

Three Celebrated Members.

In the middle of the decade Messrs. Nicholson, Broughton and Haygarth all were elected to the Club, and they all were members for more than fifty years. W. Nicholson, 1824-1909, Harrow and Cambridge University, was a member of the Committee from 1852 to 1891. I have already related his financial generosity to the Club in 1880 and his subsequent Presidency in 1890. J. E. Broughton, 1816-1911, played for Harrow, Cambridge University and the M.C.C. He served on the Committee from 1854 to 1884, in which year he became one of the original trustees, and served in that capacity until his death in 1911. Mr. Arthur Haygarth (1823-1903) is probably best known as the Editor of Scores and Biographies. As a cricketer however he was good enough to play for Harrow, the M.C.C., the Gentlemen, the South, and England. He was a very steady bat but terribly slow, as he once took three hours to score sixteen.

Royal Patronage.

During the years under review the interest of Royalty in cricket was much in evidence. H.R.H. the Duke of Sussex became a member in July 1862, while in 1943 the Prince Consort became the Club's patron. In May 1846 both the Duke of Cambridge and Prince George of Cambridge were elected Honorary Members. In 1846 Prince Albert, who, we may be sure, was no cricketer, paid a visit to the ground, riding there as was the fashion of the time. (Indeed until the seventies it was possible to ride into the ground and get a good view of the cricket without dismounting). Kynaston and Dork received the Prince and explained the game to him. Later in 1864 when subscriptions were solicited to buy out Dark, the Prince of Wales afterwards H.M. King Edward VII., subscribed a hundred

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ARMY FOOTBALL.

SEASON COMMENCES ON SATURDAY.

Army Soccer teams are commencing the season with friendly games, the following programme having been arranged—

Saturday, September 24:—

2nd Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, 2nd Team, v. South China Athletic Assn., 2nd Team. Kick-off—2.15 p.m.

2nd Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, 1st Team, v. South China Athletic Assn., 1st Team. Kick-off—4 p.m.

Both these games will be played on the Caroline Hill Ground.

Sunday, September 25:—

1st South Wales Borderers, 2nd Team, v. South China Athletic Assn., 2nd Team. Kick-off—2.45 p.m.

1st South Wales Borderers, 1st Team, v. South China Athletic Assn., 1st Team. Kick-off—4.15 p.m.

To be played on the Army Sports Ground at Sookanpo.

All the Clubs concerned are playing their very strongest teams, the South China Athletic Association 1st Team consisting of the players who recently returned from a very successful tour of Batavia.

guineas.

"Speed Merchants."

In this decade two notable fast bowlers came into cricket. Harvey Fellows (1820-1907) was educated at Eton where he was, with Walter Maroon (1824-1874) in the eleven of 1841 and 1842. Both were said to bowl faster and more accurately than Alfred Mynn. Fellows had enough spin to make the ball hum like a top. He had the Players badly in trouble at Lords, and even Fuller Pitch is said to have played him with his head turned away. At his best as a bowler in 1847-1848, he was always a tremendous hitter. The Rev. W. Fellows who holds the record for the longest hit (175 yards to pitch) was born six years after Harvey Fellows and was I believe a relation. The latter served on the Committee from 1862-1868 and from 1870-1873. For over forty years he was legal adviser to the Club. It is possible however that he was not elected until 1859. Maroon got his blue at Oxford, and was even faster than Fellows though slower than J. H. Kirwan (1816-1896) of Eton and Cambridge University who clean bowled all ten wickets of the M.C.C. in the second innings of their match with Cambridge in 1833. Like Kirwan, Maroon entered the Church and ceased to appear in big matches shortly after. He was a useful bat but it is for his pace as a bowler that he is chiefly remembered. It is said that he required three long stops, though I cannot but think that this includes a covering field at deep long leg or deep slip. It is at any rate certain that he broke a batsman's leg when up at Oxford.

The Committee.

I have previously referred to spells served by Members on the Committee, and a note generally on this body is required. In the old days I believe there were usually about twelve to fourteen members of the M.C.C. Committee, and this list of members makes it clear that up to 1891 there was no limit to the number of consecutive years a member could serve. But since then the Committee has become more precise. The President, Treasurer and the Trustees who are in office are ex officio members of the Committee. In addition there are sixteen elected members. Four retire each year in rotation and may not be re-elected until the lapse of at least a year. Until 1897 when Mr. (afterwards Sir) F. E. Lacey became Secretary, the post carried with it ex officio rank as Committee-man. (By the way, I was incorrect the other day in dating Sir F. E. Lacey's retirement as 1927. It should have been 1923.)

Future Articles.

But I perceive, with regret, that I am letting the interest of my subject carry me away, and these articles are becoming too diffuse. I will endeavour to close down as soon as possible. Next Saturday I hope to deal with the "families"—the Posenbys, the Grimstons, and the Blighs, and briefly to mention players from 1850 to 1894. This will be a note or two on customs of the Club may take two articles, if the Editor doesn't get fed up first, and then a final sketch of the change from robe to overhand will close the series.

(To be continued in the issue of Saturday next.)

RELIABILITY TRIAL.

CONDITIONS ANNOUNCED.

Next Saturday is the closing date for entries for the forthcoming motor cycle reliability trial which is to be held on Sunday October 9 next, commencing at midnight on October 8-9.

Conditions have been issued and entry forms may be obtained from Mr. H. G. Williams of Messrs. Dodwell and Co. Ltd. (Wine and Spirit Department). The entry fee for each competitor is \$3 and an additional \$3 for teams of three. Members of teams must also compete as individuals.

The Trial is open to all licensed motor-cyclists in the Colony (only Solo motor cycles are allowed to enter). The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry for any reason it may deem sufficient. The Committee also reserves the right to postpone or abandon the Trial and to change the course without previous warning for any cause that may arise.

Competitors must accept the ruling of the Stewards, Marshals, Observers and all other officials of the Trial. The Committee reserves the right to disqualify any competitor either before or during the Trial. The Committee will not be responsible for any accident or damage whatsoever or for any injury suffered by those competing in the Trial, for any infringement of Traffic regulations may disqualify a competitor from the Trial.

Each competitor will be issued with a route card before the start of the Trial. In the event of any variation from the given route the competitor must return to the point of deviation. Failure to do so will render the competitor liable to penalization.

Number plates will be issued to each competitor and a deposit of \$1.00 (one dollar) must be paid for these with the entrance fee. The deposit will be returned when the plates are handed in. These number plates must be securely fixed, one facing forward on the front of the machine, the other facing to the rear on the back of the machine. Should these plates become detached during the Trial they must be refixed at once.

This Rule will be strictly enforced. A competitor is not allowed to make any adjustments or repairs to his machine during his stay at any check. He can only fill up with oil and petrol.

Three competitors may enter as a team irrespective of the make or horsepower of their machines.

Competitors' machines will be required to pass a Police Brake Test immediately prior to the commencement of the Trial.

U.S. BASEBALL.

CHICAGO CUBS WIN NATIONAL LEAGUE

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

NEW YORK, Sept. 20. CHICAGO CUBS to-day won the National League pennant by defeating their only challengers, the Pittsburgh Pirates, by five runs to two in the first game of a double-header.

Cuyler's triple in the seventh inning clinched the all-important game for the Cubs, causing tremendous excitement among the 40,000 spectators. Up to the sixth inning, the sides kept on terms, but Cuyler's triple came when the bases were loaded.

Meine pitched a perfect game for the Pirates in the nightcap, but interest had then begun to wane.

The Cubs will, therefore, play the New York Yankees for the world championship. The first two games of the series will be played in New York on September 28 and 29 and the next three at Chicago on October 1, 2 and 3. The first bleacheritis has already appeared at the Yankee Stadium to engage in an eight-days' siege for a ticket.

In other games, New York Giants beat Boston Braves by 13 runs to 2. Torrey hit a home run. Ott hit two home runs and led in six runs. Urbanski and Schultz hit for the circuit for Boston, as did Stripp and White for the Dodgers. Pucello for the Cards, and Porter for Cleveland.

RESULTS.

National League.

Chicago	5	10	0
Pittsburg	2	8	2
Chicago	0	3	0
Pittsburg	5	10	0
New York	13	1	1
Boston	3	9	1
Philadelphia	1	8	0
Brooklyn	3	9	0
St. Louis	3	7	1

(Continued on next Column.)

ARMY AQUATICS.

HEATS SWUM OFF YESTERDAY AT V.R.C.

FINALS TO-DAY.

A most enjoyable afternoon was spent at the Victoria Recreation Club, yesterday, when the whole of the Hong Kong Garrison swam off the heats in their Annual Aquatic Sports.

The hand rail round the sides of the bath was gaily decorated with coloured bunting, and like all military functions, the sports started sharp on the appointed time, and ran to programme. There was a large crowd present and despite the heat, excitement was at a high pitch throughout.

The Army Championship, Breast, Back and Free Style, was swum off in four heats. Pte. McPhee of the Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders is certainly a promising winner. He got first place in his heat, and his splendid easy breast stroke is a great advantage to him. He is not so good on the back but picks up again in the free style.

In the girls' second heat there was a very exciting finish between Miss Williams and Miss Martin. The former won by a short head and Miss Shoomith, coming up quickly on the right, drew second place with Hilary Martin.

Perhaps the most popular event on the programme was the 150 yards Championship. The third heat was won by Pte. Campbell, S.W.B., who possesses a strong easy-looking stroke and is a probable winner in a long race. Cnr. Oliver, R.A., last year's winner, took second place in the fourth heat. Nevertheless the Gunners have great hopes of winning this event again with L/Bdr. Frost.

The finals are to be swum off to-day, and Major-General J. W. Sandilands, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., has kindly consented to present the prizes.

Results.

The results of yesterday's heats are as follows:—
Inter-Bty. Coy. Relay.—Heat 1: 1st, D Coy. S.W.B.; 2nd, 24th Bty. R.A.; Heat 2: 1st, 12th Bty. R.A.; 2nd, A Coy. A.S.H.; Heat 3: 1st, 20th Bty. R.A.; 2nd, A Coy. S.W.B.; Heat 4: 1st, H.Q. Wing S.W.B.; 2nd, H.Q. Wing S.W.B.

Army Boys' Handicap Race.—Heat 1: 1st, R. Burns; 2nd, D. Burns; Heat 2: 1st, H. Clark; 2nd, W. Webb; Heat 3: 1st, L. Norris; 2nd, P. Birmingham; 50 Yards (Indian).—Heat 1: 1st, A Coy. 3/9th Jnt Regt.; 2nd, B Coy. 3/9th Jnt Regt.; Heat 2: 1st, 2nd Hy. Bty. H.K.S. Bde. R.A.; 2nd, 2nd Hy. Bty. H.K.S. Bde. R.A.; Army Championships (Breast, Back and Free Style).—Heat 1: 1st, Pte. McPhee, A.S.H.; 2nd, Cnr. Selley, R.A.; Heat 2: 1st, Cnr. Hyde, R.A.; 2nd, Pte. Aglin, A.S.H.; Heat 3: 1st, L/Cpl. Jackson, A.S.H.; 2nd, Pte. Reynolds, S.W.B.; Heat 4: 1st, L/Bdr. Harris, R.A.; 2nd, L/Cpl. Scammell, S.W.B.

Officers' Race (100 Yards).—Heat 1: 1st, Lt. Mason, R.A.; 2nd, Lt. Moss, R.E.; Heat 2: 1st, Capt. Webb, R.A.; 2nd, Lt. Davidson, A.S.H.

Army Girls' Handicap (50 yds).—Heat 1: 1st, G. Metwood; 2nd, Y. Martin; Heat 2: 1st, M. Williams; 2nd, (tie) N. Martin and J. Shoomith.

150 Yards Championship.—Heat 1: 1st, L/Bdr. Frost, R.A.; 2nd, Spr. Waldron, R.E.; Heat 2: 1st, Pte. Kildea, A.S.H.; 2nd, L/Bdr. Dolman, R.A.; Heat 3: 1st, Pte. Campbell, S.W.B.; 2nd, Cnr. Hyde, R.A.; Heat 4: 1st, Bdn. Jameson, A.S.H.; 2nd, Cnr. Oliver, R.A.

Enlisted Boys' Race (50 yds).—Heat 1: 1st, Boy Chapman, A.S.H.; 2nd, Boy Orr, A.S.H.; Heat 2: 1st, Boy Nairn, A.S.H.; 2nd, Tpr. Senl, R.A.

25 Yards Dash.—Heat 1: 1st, Pte. McPhee, A.S.H.; 2nd, Cnr. Jennings, R.A.; Heat 2: 1st, Bdn. Jameson, A.S.H.; 2nd, Cnr. Oliver, R.A.; Heat 3: 1st, Bdr. Williams, R.A.; 2nd, Pte. Kildea, A.S.H.; Heat 4: 1st, L/Bdr. Ashley, 2nd, Pte. Ferguson.

Cincinnati 1 5 1
American League.
Boston 1 4 3
Washington 4 0 1
Cleveland 3 12 1
St. Louis 2 11 2
Cleveland 11 19 9
St. Louis 2 8 1

LEAGUE STANDINGS.

Chicago	89	61	303
Pittsburg	82	66	334
Brooklyn	79	72	323
Philadelphia	77	73	313
Boston	76	75	303
New York	68	80	450
St. Louis	68	80	450
Cincinnati	59	91	389
New York	104	45	693
Philadelphia	92	57	617
Washington	89	60	594
Cleveland	86	63	577
Detroit	71	75	412
St. Louis	61	87	415
Chicago	40	109	315
Boston	43	101	293

LAWN TENNIS.

ANDREWS' FORCEFUL EXHIBITION.

WINS AT SINGLES AND DOUBLES.

E. D. Andrews, the international lawn tennis player, was the centre of attraction yesterday at the Hong Kong Cricket Club on the occasion of his first day's exhibition, which proved to be a great success. He will be seen again this afternoon on the same ground. The exhibitions being under the auspices of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association, the Cricket Club reserving a court for these exhibitions.

The visitor impressed a large gallery, and gave a forceful exhibition. His hard hitting proved to be the brightest feature of the afternoon's play, while he executed his net work with great accuracy.

In the doubles, he partnered M. W. Lo against Ho Ka Lau and Tsui Wai Pui, the match extending to three sets and ending in a win for him and Lo. The local combination opened strongly and gave a good account of themselves. Tsui showing up exceedingly well, and Ho producing good form.

The first set was a close struggle in which fast exchanges were seen throughout, Andrews and Lo failing to draw level at all by losing the set at 6-4.

After that Andrews asserted himself, and began breaking up his opponents' game. His pace also became faster and his shots more deadly, so that Tsui and Ho gradually weakened as the match progressed. When the score reached one set all, the local pair appeared well beaten, and only offered feeble opposition in the third set.

Fincher Outplayed.

Following on with a Singles exhibition, Andrews played E. C. Fincher, but the local player was entirely outplayed, being able to take only 2 games. Andrews showed up even better, and gave the impression that he excelled at Singles play. His accurate placements all round the court were a treat to watch.

Results were as follows:—
E. D. Andrews and M. W. Lo beat Tsui Wai Pui and Ho Ka Lau 4-0, 6-2.
E. D. Andrews beat E. C. Fincher 6-2, 6-0.

To-day's Programme.

E. D. Andrews and A. L. Sullivan v. H. D. Rumjahn and S. A. Rumjahn.

ARMY TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

FIRST ROUND OF DOUBLES.

Most of the matches in the first round of doubles were played at Sookanpo yesterday. Also the remaining games in the first round of singles and a few in the second round. The results follow:—

DOUBLES.

First Round.

Pte. Stewart and Pte. Fisher (A. & S.H.) beat S.Q.M.S. Matthews and S.Q.M.S. Warman (R.A.P.C.) 6-4, 7-5.
Cond. Mitchell and Cond. Anderson (R.A.O.C.) beat Fraser and Deucherty (A.S.H.) 6-2, 6-3.
S.M. Paul and Sgt. Savell (R.E.) beat Sgt. Mitchell and Sgt. Norris (R.A.O.C.) 6-4, 7-5.
Pte. Davies and Pte. Arnold (S.W.B.) beat Dr. Joyce and Cpl. Powell (R.A.S.C.) 7-5, 6-4.
S.M. Lewis and C/Sgt. Jarman (S.W.B.) beat S/Sgt. Sanderson and Smith (R.A.O.C.) 6-1, 6-4.

SINGLES.

First Round.

Cond. Mitchell (R.A.O.C.) beat Pte. Funnell (R.A.S.C.) 6-2, 6-2.
Cpl. Knight, R.A.M.C., beat Dvr. Powell, R.A.S.C. 6-4, 4-6, 6-1.
Pte. Pearce, A.S.H., walk over Pte. Gill, A.S.H.
Pte. Hannan, S.W.B., beat L/Cpl. Darr, S.W.B., 6-4, 7-5.
L/Cpl. Fretwell, R.E., beat S/Sgt. Parkinson, R.A.M.C., 1-6, 6-3, 6-1.
Cpl. Davies, R.A.M.C., beat Cpl. Richards, S.W.B., 6-2, 6-2.

Second Round.

Q.M.S. London, R.A.M.C., beat S/Sgt. Sanderson, 4-6, 6-3, 6-0.
C/Sgt. Jarman, S.W.B., beat Sgt. Savell, R.E., 6-2, 6-2.
L/Cpl. Smith, R.A.O.C., beat Cpl. McCall, R.A.M.C., 6-3, 6-1.
C.S.M. Lewis, S.W.B., beat Pte. Pearce, A.S.H., 6-4, 7-5.

Money and Markets

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New York, Sept. 20.

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Drugs, Inc. 42 44 1/2

Du Pont de Nemours 35 1/2 37 1/2

Eastman Kodak 50 1/2 53 1/2

General Electric 10 1/2 11 1/2

General Foods 25 1/2 26 1/2

General Motors 15 1/2 16 1/2

International Harvester 21 1/2 23 1/2

International Tel. and 10 1/2 11 1/2

Liggett and Myers 55 1/2 56 1/2

Loew's Inc. 23 1/2 24 1/2

Pacific Gas and Elec- 29 1/2 30

Pennsylvania Railway 17 1/2 18

Radio Corporation 8 8 1/2

Sears Roebuck 10 1/2 11 1/2

Standard Oil Co. of 30 1/2 31 1/2

New Jersey 30 1/2 31 1/2

Socony-Vacuum Corp. 9 1/2 10

Union Carbide and 23 1/2 24 1/2

Carbon 23 1/2 24 1/2

United Pacific 10 1/2 11 1/2

United States Steel 30 1/2 31 1/2

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Amsterdam 8.04 1/2

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Oslo 16 1/2

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TERMS.—CASH ON DELIVERY.

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FAR AND WIDE.

Tokyo, September 8.—The Tokyo Colonization Company to-day announced completion of plans to invest in new enterprises in Manchuria and made application to the Finance Ministry for a loan of 10,000,000 yen.

A Soviet giant 34-seater, aeroplane—Model A.N.T. 14—flew over a Latvian fortress at Dvinsk recently en route for Koenigsberg and thence to Berlin to demonstrate the achievements of Soviet aviation. This is the largest Soviet aircraft, and is intended for the regular Berlin-Moscow service (says Exchange from Riga).

The taxation imposed by Mr. De Valera on British goods imported to the Irish Free State is having a serious effect at Liverpool. A representative of a shipping company trading with Ireland told a reporter that two of their cattle boats were laid up in consequence. Hardly any British sugar is being exported to the Free State from Liverpool.

The Government of the U.S.S.R. is arranging with the Chase National Bank of New York and the International Acceptance Bank, the New York Times understands, to distribute Russian bonds to an unlimited amount as payment for goods purchased in America. This is stated to be part of a world plan for the sale of bonds payable in the money of the countries where they are sold, the object being to stimulate Russia's foreign trade. The securities will be payable at any time on demand and bear 10 per cent. interest. The newspaper's Washington correspondent says that official circles have no information of the plan so far.—Reuter.

Wells not sunk in the ground but erected in the air are a feature of a system of producing excellent drinking water from the condensation of artificial dew, which it is believed will be of the greatest use in hot countries (says Reuter from Nicos). The new method has been successfully tried at Trans, not far from Dragunian, where there is an inadequate water supply. The "aerial well" is constructed in the form of a huge round pillar about 40 feet high, with an outside casing of concrete about eight feet thick, within which are placed a number of pipes and channels. The "well" produces a considerable quantity of water by the condensation of the moisture contained in the atmosphere during the night. The air outside the well is colder than that inside. It is denser, and therefore descends into the pipes of the well, where it condenses and is drained into a reservoir.

The scheme of repairs to Lincoln Cathedral, which has occupied 10 years and cost £150,000, was completed recently when the Dean (the Very Rev. R. A. Mitchell) and the sub-dean (Canon G. W. Jeudwine) placed the final stone in position on the restored parapet of the south-west transept gable, 130ft. from the ground. A short service was held on the scaffolding, others present including the Rev. N. W. Hagger and the Rev. C. D. Foster (priest-vicars), the clerk of the works, and masons engaged on the (Continued on Page 10.)

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TERMS.—CASH ON DELIVERY.

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"TARZAN."

JUNGLE THRILLS AT
QUEEN'S.

A trade notice states:— Learning to talk from the simplest syllable sounds was the difficult dialogue problem mastered by Johnny Weissmuller, world's champion swimmer, for his role in "Tarzan, the Ape Man," now playing at the Queen's Theatre.

As an Englishman raised by apes in the jungle as one of their own, Weissmuller was required to speak only the most rudimentary vocal sounds in early sequences of the adventure drama. When he meets the heroine, Maureen O'Sullivan, in the jungle, she is supposed to teach him to talk.

The only word he knows is his own name, "Tarzan," which he repeats constantly in response to any spoken word. Starting with very simple one-syllable words, he is taught to say "me," "you," "we" and has to speak them in a halting and uncertain tone of voice like a beginner learning how to talk. The feat required as much study and practice as the task of learning long lines of dialogue.

A player in W. S. Van Dyke's last jungle drama, "Trader Horn," found herself in somewhat of a similar predicament, for in this picture the heroine, Edwina Booth, was not permitted to speak a word of English, having to learn instead long lines of difficult African tribal speech.

"Tarzan, the Ape Man" is a picturization of the widely-read Edgar Rice Burroughs novel. Prominent roles are played by Neil Hamilton, C. Aubrey Smith and Doris Lloyd.

"DEVIL'S LOTTERY."

COMING TO THE KING'S.

A trade notice states:— Victor McLaglen's role, that of an ex-prizefighter, in "Devil's Lottery," the Fox dramatic production in which he heads Elissa Landi's all-star supporting cast and which opens its local engagement on Sunday at the King's Theatre must have recalled much of the past of the big, virile he-man of the screen, for at one time he was well on the way to the heavyweight pugilistic championship of the world.

He was the champion heavyweight of Eastern Canada and James J. Corbett, who saw him fight at Seattle, Washington, predicted the

HOW LONDON IS
SPREADING.SWALLOWING UP
MIDDLESEX: WHAT
CENSUS REVEALS.DECLINE IN SIZE OF
FAMILIES.

London is spreading out more and more at the edges, especially into Middlesex.

The population of the administrative county of Middlesex, all of which lies in Greater London, increased by 385,736 in the ten years 1921-31. Its own numbers 1,538,735 persons.

This is revealed in the decennial County of Middlesex Census (Part I), issued on Aug. 7 by H.M. Stationery Office at 3s. net.

That the county is predominantly urban appears from the fact that its 30 borough and urban districts contain 1,539,397 persons, and its two rural districts only 49,331. The chief instances of growth are Hendon urban district, with 55,153 persons, or an increase of 101.1 per cent. during the decade; and Kingsbury urban district, with 16,630, or a growth of nearly 800 per cent.

Most Populous Areas.

The urban areas or largest population are:—
Willesden (184,434)
Tottenham (167,772)
Ealing (117,707)
Hendon (115,632)

There are nine others in excess of the 50,000 figure, including the municipal boroughs of Acton and Hounslow. Other areas with over 30,000 increase are Ealing (municipal), Hendon (rural), and the following urban districts: Edmonstone, Finchley, Hayes and Uxbridge, Tottenham, Uxbridge, Weststone, Wembley, and Willesden.

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As Clara Deane, Miss Gibson first appears as an eager young girl, as the story unfolds she grows older—wiser—with the bitterness that comes from disillusionment. At the picture's powerful climax she has become a careworn middle-aged woman whose tired eyes tell of a frustrated life—a pathetic figure that stirs one's deepest sympathy.

"The Strange Case of Clara Deane," is showing at the King's Theatre from to-day.

highest ring crown would some day grace his head. The records show, McLaglen once fought Jack Johnson a non-decision bout, but soon after this event, the World War broke out and he transferred his fighting activities from the ring to the battlefield.

It was at the National Sporting Club in London shortly after the war, that McLaglen was discovered as the perfect type for pictures. His most famous screen impersonation was that of Captain Flag in the Fox pictures "What Price Glory" and "The Cock Eyed World."

In addition to Miss Landi and McLaglen the cast of "Devil's Lottery" includes Alexander Kirkland, Paul Cavanagh, Barbara Weeks, Beryl Mercer and Herbert Mundin.

with 8.4 in 1921, and the maximum areas are Tottenham (52.3), Willesden (42.1), Wood Green (33.3), Hounslow (33.2), and Acton (30.6).

With a total 1,110,868 population over 21 years of age and 1,076,668 persons on the electoral register, by reason of residential qualification, this means that 90.9 per cent. have a vote, and therefore there is almost complete adult suffrage. Females exceed males in all 17 constituencies; and the average of 33.2 in female excess for the county rises in Hounslow's Parliamentary borough to nearly 40 per cent.

Smaller Families.

Dwellings have risen in number from 243,669 to 250,007, or 47.4 per cent., while the number of private families has risen by 44.5 per cent. The average size of family has dropped from 4.05 in 1921 to 3.69 in 1931, and it is noted that this is considerable for a peace-time decennium. The decline, in fact, is greater than in previous decades (7.7 per cent.), when the population sustained such heavy losses from active service.

The proportion of two-person and three-person families has risen to 47.9 per cent. of the total of private families; that is to say an increase of 39.9 per cent. on 1921 and 34.9 on 1911.

With this reduction in the size of families the average unit of occupation has sunk from 4.64 rooms to 4.59—a fall of only 1.1 per cent., so that the average number of persons per occupied room remains almost stable. On the other hand, the larger families, comprising eight or more persons, have greatly diminished in numbers, in spite of increased population, and now make up only 3.4 per cent. of the total.

Analysis of sex distribution shows the effects of migration, reduced rates of infant mortality, the attractiveness of the metropolis for male labour, and recovery from the results of post-war losses. On the whole, the report shows a rise in average age—2.6 years for males and 2.7 years for females.

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"Yesterday at Peking"

KOWLOON.

Star.
"Skin Deep."

COMING.

King's.
"Devil's Lottery."
"Sinners in the Sun."
Central.
"Fast Companions."
"Cock of the Air."
Star.
"W. Plan."
Oriental.
"All Quiet on the Western Front."

FAR AND WIDE.

(Continued from Page 6.)

work. The Dean said that no serious accident had happened in the course of repairs, and it was only fitting that they should give thanks to God on the completion of a gigantic task. After special prayers the Doxology was sung. The sub-dean is 83 years of age. The completion of the repairs will be celebrated at a thanksgiving service on November 3, attended by the Duke and Duchess of York.

The Association of Life Insurance Companies in Germany states that the amount of the policies at the end of 1931 had increased to over £100,000,000. The new policies taken out during the year exceeded £10,000,000.

The creation of a new sort of "reconstruction" corporation, aimed at eliminating the "depressing cloud of undisposed surplus" of raw materials, is nearing completion by New York banks, under the leadership of Mr. Eugene Meyer, Governor of the Federal Reserve Board. The corporation, which may be capitalised at as high a figure as £25,000,000, will make loans to consumers of raw materials to finance the purchase of stocks for manufacturing purposes, and at the same time to remove the surplus of cotton or wheat held by the Federal Farm Board. Thus the syndicate will not directly buy stocks of raw materials, as at first indicated, but by financing such purchases on the part of manufacturers will assist the consumption of surpluses.

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	at 4 p.m.	10 a.m.	4 p.m.
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Temperature...	81	81	80
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From September 22, to 28 1932.

Day of Week	Day of Month	High Water		Low Water	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Thur	22	09.25	8.3	08.50	2.5
		14.10	3.4	13.20	2.3
Fri.	23	01.00	6.3	10.14	2.3
Sat.	24	01.51	6.3	11.23	3.0
Sun.	25	03.08	6.5	12.19	1.7
Mon.	26	04.50	6.4	—	—
		20.48	4.9	13.00	1.5
Tues.	27	05.21	6.9	00.00	4.4
		20.41	6.1	13.41	1.3
Wed.	28	07.28	7.2	01.00	2.9
		20.55	6.6	14.10	1.3

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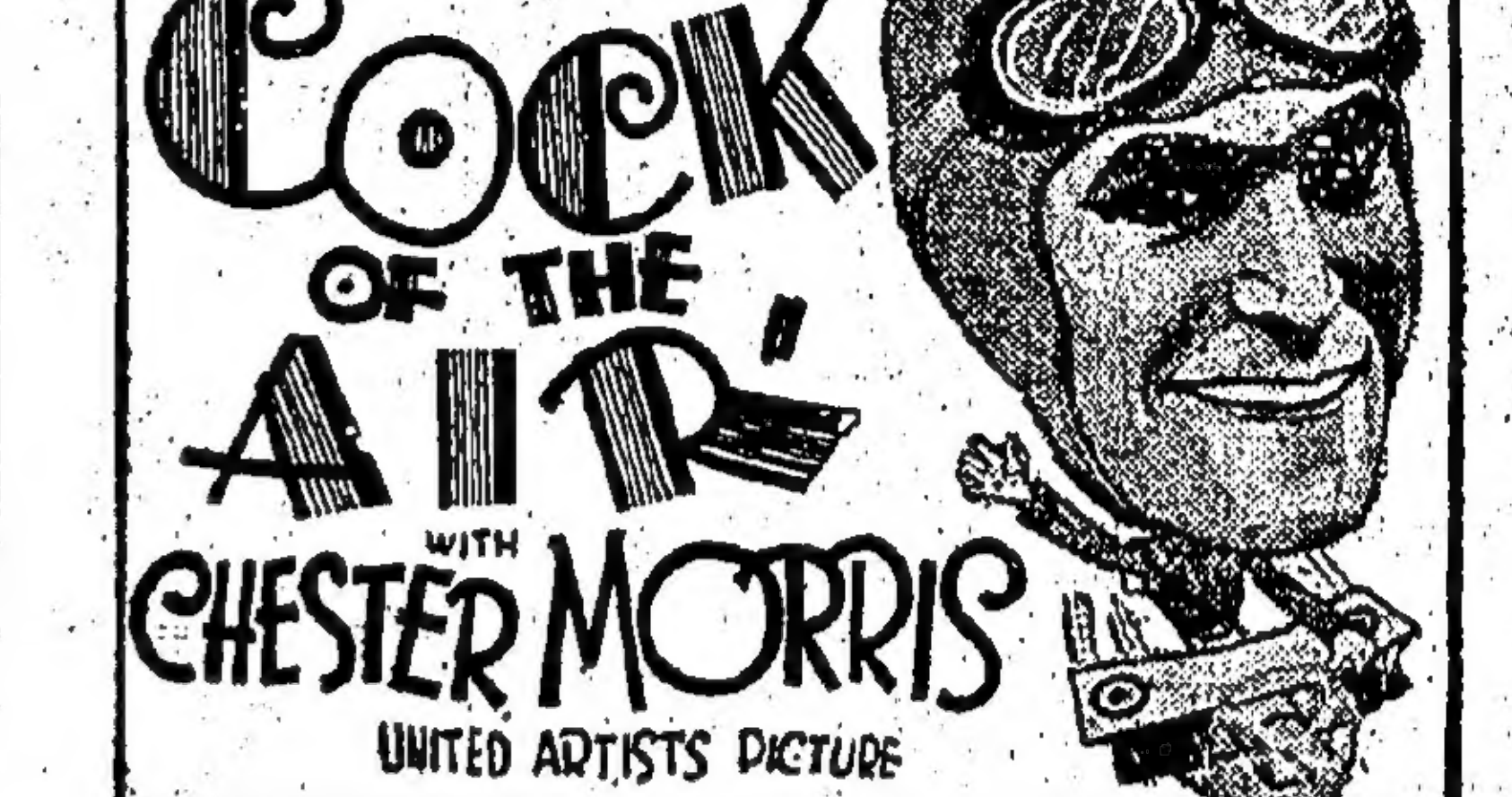
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The British Film Industry

CERTAIN ADVANTAGES OVER
HOLLYWOOD.

London—The opening of a studio covering two acres at Shepherd's Bush by Gaumont British Pictures has directed attention to the remarkable growth of the film-making industry in recent months. All is not well with the cinema industry in general. A fall of 12 per cent. in attendances and the incidence of a heavy entertainment tax are great handicaps. But even these trials have not sufficed to kill enterprise, and the Gaumont people alone are embarking upon a programme of picture-making which will cost about £1,000,000 in the coming year, the average cost of a film being about £25,000. Similar enterprise is being displayed at Elstree, where British International Pictures have their headquarters. This organisation employs more than 20,000 people when it is in full production.

Again, there is British Lion Films, which specialises in the "thrillers" of Edgar Wallace, and has busy studios at Beaconsfield. These are the organisations which are providing British films for the 4,000 cinemas in our islands, and offering home-made pictures to the 1,300,000 men, women, and children who patronise British picture-houses in a year.

The fact that these films, primarily devised to satisfy the British quota, may also have a large sale in Australia and other Dominions will justify a survey of the present position of the film-making industry.

ADVANTAGE OVER
HOLLYWOOD.

The British film-making industry boasts one outstanding advantage over its Hollywood rivals. A long English feature film costs only about half as much to produce as does a similar film in the United States. That is to say, if "The Ghost Train," "Sunshine Susie," or "The Ringer" had been made at Hollywood, the initial cost would have been double what it was. It is a pity that many buyers of films persist in the foolish assumption that a British film is only half as

good as one of American origin, because it costs half as much. Fortunately for the British companies, they are not burdened with the extravagant salary list associated with Hollywood "stars" and directors, nor do they pay the absurd sums demanded by American authors for story rights. In England, too, film production is not severely sectionalised, and every job is not done by a highly paid "expert," as in America. Wasteful expenditure does not help a feature film in the least, and it is admitted that the best British films—such as "The Ghost Train" or one of the Tom Walls comedies—are fully up to the Hollywood standard. For an 8,000-ft. picture, an English studio takes about 100,000ft. of photographs. In this direction there is no great saving in comparison with the United States. A generous allowance of film "wastage" is essential if a "talkie" story is to run smoothly.

It has long been recognised that English film-makers are second to none. The names of Charlie Chaplin, George Arliss, Ronald Colman, Fred Kerr, and Conway Tearle have only to be mentioned to show that there is nothing in the make-up of an Englishman which militates against success before the camera. English women have not been so successful in achieving stardom. The players just mentioned made their fame at Hollywood, but Leslie Henson, Jack Hulbert, Cicely Courtneidge, Tom Walls, Sydney Fairbrother, Belle Chynell, and John Stuart promise to be no less successful in English studios, not to mention English stage favourites, such as Seymour Helle and Gerald Du Maurier.

Among the English picture plays now in course of production at Elstree, Shepherd's Bush, and Beaconsfield are Bernard Shaw's first full-length film, "Arms and the Man," Frederick Lonsdale's "Maid of the Mountains," Lady Eleanor Smith's "The Red Waggon," Douglas Murray's "Man From Toronto," Priestley's "Good Companions," Tommie Thurston's "Bally Bishop," and "The End of the Rainbow," the last mentioned being a musical "talkie," exploiting the famous tenor, Richard Tauber. —*Sunday Morning Herald.*

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Tilawa, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 23.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Daviken, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Nagoya, P. & O., Sept. 25.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Rheinland, Jehen, Sept. 28.
Terakuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Conto Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.
Idoneneus, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 2.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Bangalore, P. & O., Oct. 4.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Africa, Mannors, Oct. 4.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Taima, B.I.S.N., Oct. 5.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Rajputana, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Elpenor, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Diomed, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Kulmerland, Jehen, Oct. 12.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Nanking, Gilman's, Oct. 20.
Santia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Lycan, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., Oct. 29.
Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 30.
Annam, Mannors, Oct. 31.
City of Derby, Bank, Oct. 31.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Achilles, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Tamura, Gilman, Nov. 21.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.
Danmark, Mannors, Nov. 26.

Shanghai.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 22.
Alders, P. & O., Sept. 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Nagura, Gilman's, Sept. 23.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 23.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Nagoya, P. & O., Sept. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Automodon, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Kwaishang Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Rheinland, Jehen, Sept. 28.
Terakuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Tsinan, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 29.
Conto Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Idoneneus, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Kulmerland, Jehen, Oct. 12.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Nanking, Gilman's, Oct. 20.
Santia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Lycan, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., Oct. 29.
Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 30.
Annam, Mannors, Oct. 31.
City of Derby, Bank, Oct. 31.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Achilles, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Tamura, Gilman, Nov. 21.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.
Danmark, Mannors, Nov. 26.

Los Angeles.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Mexico.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.

Panama.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Portland.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.

San Francisco.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Seattle.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Oct. 21.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

South America (West Coast).
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Oct. 21.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

Southward.
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST
PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Nanking, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Change, B. & S., Oct. 21.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 18.

Swatow.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 22.
Hai Yang Douglas, Sept. 23.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Daviken, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Kiangsu, B. & S., Sept. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 25.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Sept. 27.
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Kwaishang Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 29.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 30.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Sandviken, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Shantung, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Sinkiang, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Hangsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Taku.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Aeneas, B. & S., Oct. 18.
Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 12.

Tientsin.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Taipei.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Daviken, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 25.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Sept. 27.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 30.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Hankow.
Automodon, B. & S., Sept. 28.

Japan Ports.
Naldora, P. & O., Sept. 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Nagura, Gilman's, Sept. 23.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 23.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Daviken, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Nagoya, P. & O., Sept. 25.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Rheinland, Jehen, Sept. 28.
Terakuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Conto Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.
Idoneneus, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 2.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Bangalore, P. & O., Oct. 4.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Africa, Mannors, Oct. 4.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Taima, B.I.S.N., Oct. 5.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Rajputana, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Elpenor, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Diomed, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Kulmerland, Jehen, Oct. 12.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Nanking, Gilman's, Oct. 20.
Santia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Lycan, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., Oct. 29.
Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 30.
Annam, Mannors, Oct. 31.
City of Derby, Bank, Oct. 31.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Achilles, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Tamura, Gilman, Nov. 21.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.
Danmark, Mannors, Nov. 26.

Shanghai.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 22.
Alders, P. & O., Sept. 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Nagura, Gilman's, Sept. 23.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 23.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Nagoya, P. & O., Sept. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Automodon, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Kwaishang Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Rheinland, Jehen, Sept. 28.
Terakuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Tsinan, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 29.
Conto Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Idoneneus, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Kulmerland, Jehen, Oct. 12.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Nanking, Gilman's, Oct. 20.
Santia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Lycan, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., Oct. 29.
Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 30.
Annam, Mannors, Oct. 31.
City of Derby, Bank, Oct. 31.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Achilles, B. & S., Nov. 8.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Tamura, Gilman, Nov. 21.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.
Danmark, Mannors, Nov. 26.

Los Angeles.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Mexico.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.

Panama.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Portland.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.

San Francisco.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Seattle.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Oct. 21.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

South America (West Coast).
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Granville, Bank, Sept. 25.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Jutlandia, Mannors, Oct. 8.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 23.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, Oct. 21.
Protesilaus, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

Southward.
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST
PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Nanking, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Change, B. & S., Oct. 21.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 18.

Swatow.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 22.
Hai Yang Douglas, Sept. 23.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Daviken, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Kiangsu, B. & S., Sept. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 25.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Sept. 27.
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Kwaishang Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 29.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 30.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Sandviken, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Shantung, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Sinkiang, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Hangsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Taku.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Aeneas, B. & S., Oct. 18.
Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 12.

Tientsin.
Kueichow, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Taipei.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 25.
Daviken, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Suisang, Jardine's, Sept. 25.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 25.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Sept. 27.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 30.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Batavia.
Tijlbadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.

Bangkok.
Chile, Mannors, Sept. 25.
Hellas, Thorsen, Sept. 25.
Kiangsu, B. & S., Sept. 25.
Bintang, Mannors, Sept. 27.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Kueiyang, B. & S., Sept. 30.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Yusang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.

Brindisi.
Tijlbadak, J.C.J.L., Sept. 27.
Adriatic, B. & S., Oct. 19.

Calcutta.
Kingyuan, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 30.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.

Hankow.
Kingyuan, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 30.
Kueiyang, B. & S., Sept. 30.

Manila.
Tijlbadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.

Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 24.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Sept. 24.

Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Emp. of Russia, Sept. 28.

Adriatic, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nanking, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Tijlbadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 2.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 4.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, Oct. 8.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 14.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 18.
Change, B. & S., Oct. 21.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 26.
Automodon, B. & S., Oct. 27.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Nellore, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.
Empress of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 2.

Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Cyclops, B. & S., Nov. 14.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 18.
Empress of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 24.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

Malabar Coast.
Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.

Pakhoi.
Kingyuan, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 30.

Batavia.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Nanking, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.

Saloon.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 25.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 8.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Sandakan.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Sept. 28.

Sourabaya.
Tijlbadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.

WESTWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE,
AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.
Calchaba, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Conto Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.
Ajax, B. & S., Oct. 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Naldora, P. & O., Oct. 22.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 25.
Hector, B. & S., Oct. 29.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.
Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 8.
Idoneneus, B. & S., Nov. 9.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.
Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Alexandria.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 18.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.

Algiers.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Nagura, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

Amsterdam.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Isar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Nagura, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

Antwerp.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Barcelona.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Kulmerland, Jehen, Nov. 15.

Beyrouth.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.

Bombay.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 6.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.
Conto Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 18.
Naldora, P. & O., Oct. 22.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.

Calcutta.
Silverpalm, Furness, Sept. 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Oct. 4.
Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 18.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.

Bremen.
Saarbruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Isar, Melchers, Oct. 13.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Brindisi.
Conto Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
Col di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.

Calcutta.
Nordmark, Jehen, Sept. 28.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Sept. 27.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 28.
Sirdhana B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 28.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Oct. 8.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Taima, B.I

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SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KANUHOW" ... On 28th Sept. Noon
HONGKONG & BANGKOK	"KWANGTUNG" ... On 30th Sept. Noon
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KANGTUNG" ... On 30th Sept. Noon
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"ANSUN" ... On 2nd Oct. 8 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG" ... On 2nd Oct. Noon
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWANGCHOW" ... On 2nd Oct. 5 p.m.
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CHANGTE	30th Dec.	23rd Dec.	23rd Dec.	8th Jan. 1933.	
TAPING	10th Jan.	17th Jan.	20th Jan.	5th Feb.	

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Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 23.
Hector, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.
Taima, B.I.S.N. Co., Oct. 31.
Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.
Felix, Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 5.
Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.
Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Piraeus.

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.

Plymouth.

Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.

Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.

Naldora, P. & O., Oct. 22.

Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.

Port Said.

Chile, Manners, Sept. 23.

Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.

Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, Sept. 29.

Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.

Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.

Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.

Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.

Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.

D'Astagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.

Ajax, B. & S., Oct. 12.

Isar, Melchers, Oct. 13.

Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.

Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

Coblitz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Naldora, P. & O., Oct. 22.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 23.

Hector, B. & S., Oct. 23.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.

Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.

Afrika, Manners, Nov. 1.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Saale, Melchers, Nov. 2.

Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.

Felix, Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 5.

Idomeneus, B. & S., Nov. 9.

Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.

Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.

G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

Port Swettenham.

Sirdhana B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 30.

Rangoon.

Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 20.

Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.

Rotterdam.

Chile, Manners, Sept. 23.

Nordmark, Jensen, Sept. 20.

Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, Sept. 29.

Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.

Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.

Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.

Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.

Ajax, B. & S., Oct. 12.

Isar, Melchers, Oct. 13.

Burgeland, Jensen, Oct. 14.

City of Kobe, Bank, Oct. 14.

Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.

Coblitz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Hector, B. & S., Oct. 23.

Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.

Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.

Afrika, Manners, Nov. 1.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Idomeneus, B. & S., Nov. 9.

Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

City of Cambridge, Bank, Nov. 14.

Cylops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Kulmerland, Jensen, Nov. 15.

Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.

Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports.

Chile, Manners, Sept. 23.

Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.

Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.

Afrika, Manners, Nov. 1.

Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

Singapore.

Hai Hing Thoresen, Sept. 22.

Chile, Manners, Sept. 23.

Ranchi, P. & O., Sept. 24.

Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 25.

Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 25.

Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.

Yuensang, Jardine's, Sept. 27.

Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, Sept. 29.

Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.

Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.

Sirdhana B.I.S.N. Co., Sept. 30.

Adrastrus, B. & S., Oct. 1.

Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.

Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.

Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.

Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.

Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.

Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.

Kosang, Jardine's, Oct. 8.

Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.

Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.

Ajax, B. & S., Oct. 12.

Dardanus, B. & S., Oct. 12.

Isar, Melchers, Oct. 13.

Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.

Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.

Tilawa, B.I.S.N., Oct. 15.

Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

Pres. Folk, Dollar, Oct. 16.

Coblitz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Naldora, P. & O., Oct. 22.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 23.

Hector, B. & S., Oct. 23.

Automedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.

Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.

Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.

Taima, B.I.S.N. Co., Oct. 31.

Afrika, Manners, Nov. 1.

Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Saale, Melchers, Nov. 2.

Rajputana, P. & O., Nov. 5.

Felix, Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 5.

Idomeneus, B. & S., Nov. 9.

Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.

Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.

Cylops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.

Aeneas, B. & S., Nov. 22.

G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

South Africa.

Tinhow, Bank, Oct. 30.

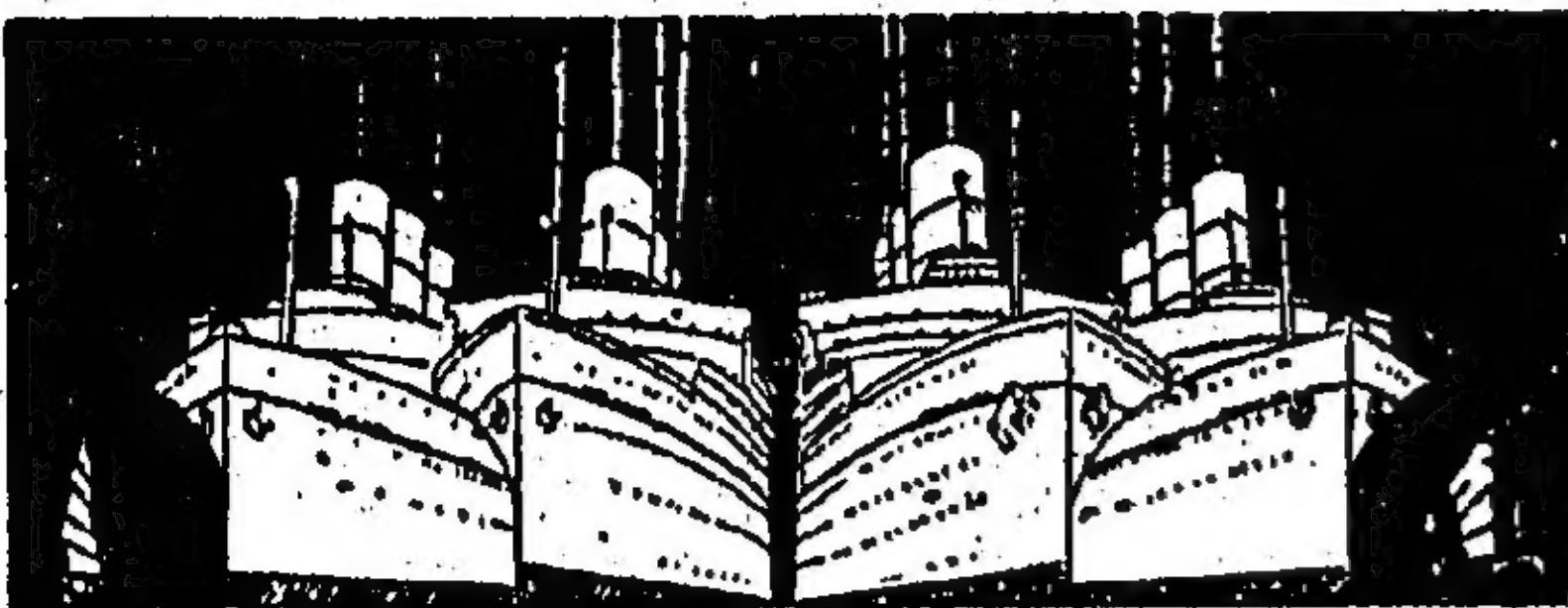
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Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.

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Emp. of Japan...Oct. 7	Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	Oct. 16	Oct. 18	Oct. 24
Emp. of Japan...Oct. 21	Oct. 24	Oct. 25	Oct. 27	Oct. 30	Nov. 2	Nov. 8
Emp. of Japan...Nov. 4	Nov. 7	Nov. 8	Nov. 10	Nov. 13	Nov. 15	Nov. 21
Emp. of Japan...Nov. 15	Nov. 18	Nov. 19	Nov. 21	Nov. 24	Nov. 26	Dec. 2
Emp. of Japan...Dec. 2	Dec. 5	Dec. 6	Dec. 8	Dec. 11	Dec. 13	Dec. 19
Emp. of Japan...Dec. 15	Dec. 18	Dec. 19	Dec. 21	Dec. 24	Dec. 26	Jan. 3

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FUJIMI MARU ... Saturday, 15th Oct.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Port
ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 24th Sept.
KAMO MARU ... Saturday, 29th Oct.

MANILA
TATSUTA MARU ... Thursday, 13th Oct.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.
NAGATO MARU ... Thursday, 25th Sept.
PENANG MARU ... Saturday, 8th Oct.

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Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.
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LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus,
Genoa & Valencia.
LIMA MARU ... Sunday, 16th Oct.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.

TANGO MARU ... Thursday, 29th Sept.
TANGA MARU ... Tuesday, 11th Oct.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

KAMO MARU (Nagasaki direct) ... Saturday, 24th Sept.
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FELIX ROUSSEL ... 8th Nov.	ANGKOR ... 8th Nov.
G. METZINGER ... 22nd Nov.	ARABIS ... 22nd Nov.
ANGKOR ... 6th Dec.	CHRONOCEAUX ... 6th Dec.
ARABIS ... 20th Dec.	ATHOS ... 20th Dec.
CHRONOCEAUX ... 3rd Jan.	D'ARTAGNAN ... 3rd Jan.
ATHOS II ... 17th Jan.	ANDRE LEBON ... 17th Jan.
D'ARTAGNAN ... 31st Jan.	FELIX ROUSSEL ... 31st Jan.

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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances,
Ships in Harbour, etc.

CLEARANCES.

September 21.
Daian Maru, for Keelung;
Fooshing, for Swatow.
Glenogle, for Shanghai.
Ikoman Maru, for Formosa.
Kwalsang, for Canton.
Lyeemoon, for Singapore.
Nanchang, for Shanghai.
Ningpo, for Shanghai.
Taiyuan, for Shanghai.
Phasianella, for Canton.
Shinyo Maru, for Shanghai.
Sipora, for Whampoa.
Song Bo, for Amoy.
Suiyang, for Canton.
Tai Lee, for Canton.
Tijbadak, for Amoy.
Tjondari, for Dairen.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant vessels
were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves.
Kowloon:—President Coolidge,
Ho Sang.
Jardine, Matheson's:—Daviken.
Douglas Laprak:—Heining.
Quarry Bay:—Tjikembang.

Docks.
Kowloon:—Limchow.
Taikoo:—Chichibu Maru, Adra-
tus, C. St. George, Shun Shih, Ying
Chow.

Buoys.
No. A1.—Shinyo Maru.
No. A2.—Hamburg Maru.
No. A4.—Henri Riviere.
No. A5.—Tjinegara.
No. A8.—Irisbank.
No. A9.—Taiping.
No. B2.—Fooshing.
No. B3.—Kiangsu.
No. B4.—Halvard.
No. B5.—Chungking.
No. B8.—Haining.
No. B9.—Dukat.
No. B9.—Chung Kong.
No. B10.—Song Bo.
No. B11.—Marose.
No. B14.—Sunning.
No. B15.—Chengtu.
No. B16.—Hellas.
No. B17.—Bintang.
No. B18.—Teian.
No. B20.—Ikoman Maru.
No. C1.—Helikon.
No. C2.—Havdrot.
No. C4.—Wing Po.
No. C7.—Daian Maru.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following vessels were in
port yesterday:—
Basin:—Tamar.
North Wall:—Folkestone, Moth.
East Wall:—Oswald, Phoenix, and
Parthian.
North Arm:—Whitehall, Wishart
and Wren.
West Wall:—Devonshire.
Dock:—Verity and Whithead.
Foreign:—French river gunboat
Argus; Chinese sloop Hoi Chau.

ARRIVALS.

September 20.
City of Cambridge, British str.,
4,550 tons, Capt. A. Melville,
from Singapore, Holt's Wharf.
—Bank Line.
N-gara, Swedish str., 3,070 tons,
Capt. Brandt, from Manila,
Holt's Wharf—Gilman & Co.
Tilawa, British str., 4,153 tons,
Capt. E. Colborn, from Singa-
pore, Kowloon Wharf—M.M. &
Co.
September 21.
Canton Maru, Japanese str., 1,047
tons, Capt. Y. Iwasaki, from
Swatow, O.S.K. Wharf.
O.S.K.
Draken, Norwegian str., 1,273 tons,
Capt. G. Frane, from Canton,
Taikoo Dock—J.M. & Co.
Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,203
tons, Capt. E. Sanada, from
Canton, O.S.K. Wharf—O.S.K.
Emp. of Canada, British str., 16,811
tons, Capt. A. J. Hailey, from
Manila, Kowloon Wharf—C.P.R.
Fjorden, Norwegian str., 908 tons,
Capt. L. Handeland, from Singa-
pore, buoy No. B7—Waller &
Co.

Haiyang, British str., 1,303 tons,
Capt. W. G. Erwin, from Swa-
tow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas
& Co.
Haida, British str., 1,134 tons,
Capt. W. Freer, from Saigon,
buoy No. B4—Wo Fat Sing.
Hinsang, British str., 1,635 tons,
Capt. Field-Hook, from Sanda-
kan, buoy No. B22—J.M. & Co.
Hydrangea, British str., 681 tons,
from Swatow, Chiu On Yarf—
Chiu On & Co.

Kiangchow, British str., 1,645 tons,
Capt. J. B. Anderson, from
Hoilow, buoy No. B4—B. & S.
Kueichow, British str., 1,200 tons,
Capt. E. H. Histed, from
Canton, buoy No. B16—B. & S.
Kwaisang, British str., 1,433 tons,
Capt. P. R. G. Cumming, from
Swatow, West Point Wharf—
J.M. & Co.
Leghburne, American str., 3,970
tons, Capt. N. Mathison, from
Shanghai, Chin Wan Wharf—
Texas & Co.
Naldera, British str., 6,500 tons,
Capt. R. Harrison, from Singa-
pore, Kowloon Wharf—M.M.
& Co.

Sipora, Dutch str., 941 tons, Capt.
Lindeman, from Samarinda,
Yeumati Anchorage—J.C.J.L.
Suiyang, British str., 1,304 tons,
Capt. Byrne, from Swatow,
buoy No. B18—B. & S.
Tacoma, American str., 5,482 tons,
Capt. E. Snellenberg, from
Shanghai, buoy No. A6—Dollar
Line.

Tai Lee, Chinese str., 1,044 tons,
Capt. Mazaki, from Swatow,
buoy No. C9—Loong Tai Hong.
Taiyuan, British str., 2,100 tons,
Capt. J. K. Clark, from Can-
ton, buoy No. B21—B. & S.
Van Heutsz, Dutch str., 2,749 tons,
Capt. M. Schreuder, from Swa-
tow, buoy No. A15—J.C.J.L.

SHIPPING MOVEMENT.

The P. & O. Line s.s. Ranchi left
Shanghai for this port on Septem-
ber 20 at 4 p.m. and is due here
on the 23rd instant at about 9 a.m.

PASSENGERS.

Arrivals.
The following passengers arrived
yesterday by the s.s. Naldera from
London: Mr. M. W. Anderson,
Sgt. Lt. Davidson, Mr. W. R.
Grant, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Kin-
chin and two children, Mr. and
Mrs. L. McRae, Master Harley,
Mrs. D. Marden, Master Marden,
Miss M. I. Stuart, Dr. T. W. Wane,
Mr. and Mrs. Hassall, Mr. A. F.
Perry, Mr. W. Thomson, Mr. H.
Gouldstein, Rev. W. E. Mont-
gomery, Mr. H. C. Trivedi, Mr.
M. A. Razak, Mr. F. W. Windsor,
Mrs. P. Walsh, Miss D. Leather,
Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. W. E. Robert-
son, Mrs. G. C. Fawkes, Mr.
Thum Khat Cheng, Mr. Khoo Kay
Yow, Mr. E. C. Scott, Mr. C. Y.
Ong, Mrs. L. Hudson, Mr. and
Mrs. Goldie, Mr. F. Knight, Miss
M. R. Evans, Miss Whitaker, Miss
I. Bruce, Miss M. D. Gibbs, Mrs.
J. J. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. H. M.
Gardiner, Mr. R. G. Banks, Mr.
D. Stewart, Mr. Hoops, Mr. N. L.
Phillips, Mr. J. C. Watson, Mr.
Chan Hing Choo, Misses Mary and
Hilda Lam, Miss Chui Chi Lum,
Mr. Khoo Boo Gay, Miss E. Peche,
Mr. R. H. Dobbie, Mr. F. M.
Spence, Mr. N. Watson, Mr. E. G.
Rivers, Mr. and Mrs. Longberg, Mr.
Jenkins, Mr. C. D. Jackson, Mrs.
C. V. Nicol, Miss (Dr.) A. T.
Allan, Miss D. Brown, Miss Bower-
man, Major P. Granville Edge, Mr.
and Mrs. P. G. Glead, Master Glead
Miss D. S. Engle, Mr. and Mrs. P.
Hooper, Comdr. J. S. Hamill,
Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Hackett, Miss
D. King, Miss McLellan, Miss L.
Mitchell, Miss J. M. Kent, Mr. and
Mrs. A. H. Kellaway, Mr. R. Lap-
wood, Mrs. E. S. Murray, Mr. B.
McLean, Miss J. Henderson, Mr.
and Mrs. A. McLean, Miss G. D.
S. Parker, Dr. Agnes Ramsbottom,
Miss C. Strickland, Rev. A. L.
Suter, Miss J. S. Turner, Mr. and
Mrs. J. S. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs.
H. G. K. Whelan, Mr. and Mrs.
T. Main, Mr. E. Walker, Mr. and
Mrs. J. Wallace, Miss N. H. Chris-
ten, Mr. and Mrs. L. Corner, Miss
E. D. Skidmore, Miss G. A. Grills,
Rev. G. A. and Mrs. Young and
two children, Mr. V. Carmichael,
Mr. and Mrs. A. Paramor, Mr. and
Mrs. A. Archer and infant, Miss
Ellement, Dr. Chie, Mr. W. Pryer,
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